On Demand Su./1/4d

# The House Telegranh

(ESTABLISHED

Copyright 1918, by the Proprietor

April 19, 1917,

Temperature 6 a.m. Humidity

日九初月三 7921

April 19, 1918, Humidity

Temperature

FRIDAY. 19, 1918. APRIL

五年禮 號九十月四英港香

SINGLE COPY 10 CENTE ege PER ANNUM.

(Reuter's Service to The "Telegraph.")

OBITUARY,

The Oldest Member of the

House of Commons.

The death is aunounced of Mr.

the oldest Member of the House

The decessed, who was in his

96th year, had represented the

East Division of County Cavan

in the Nationalist interest since

1893. He was head of Messes.

NO PERMITS.

Exporters la Trouble.

There were several cases heard

The first case was that in which

Wo Street was summoned for ex-

porting 56.7 picula of old iron by

the a.s. Sunning without a permit.

defendants and explained that the

matter had arisen through the

mistake of a broker. A permit

was obtained to export a certain

quantity but some other deliveries

which were exported at the same

time were failed to have been

entered on the permit by the

broker who was seeing the con-

signment through. It was purely

the facts but pointed out the

smount of the discrepancy was

Mr. Traiman did not dispute

His Worship imposed a fine of

The On Tai firm, of 12 Kwong

Yuen Street West, was summon-

ed for exporting 4,200 estries of

specied by a Revenue Officer. The

iron was brough in a junk to the

Harbour Office and was kept there

for over three hours, during which

time several revenue officers pass-

given to the man in obsige and

he thought that this gave full

peemission for the iron to be

moved, and it was sent away in

due course. The iron was moved

under the full impression that the

permit bors a special condition

that the iron was first to be in-

spected by a Revenue Officer. No

Revenue Officer did inspect the

iron for if he had done so he

would have signed the permit and

His Worship took a rerisus

view of the case, saying that the

defendant should have taken

every trouble to see that his per-

He imposed a fine of \$100.

Navalli, of 3, Wood Boad, was

summoned for exporting four

pounds of butter from the Colony

get a permit, or else he would occ-

The defendant maintained that

His Worship thought that the

Mr. Tratman :- The butter in

\$5 and the confiscation of the

Before Mr. J. R. Wood. M.

mit was in proper order-

without a permit.

tainly have done so.

batter:

Mr. Tratman stated that the

permit was complete.

the duplicate.

Mr. E. J. Grist appeared in

old iron without a permit.

a mistake.

Mr. Stevenson appeared for the

London, April 12.

TELEGRAMS

TELEGRAMS. REUTER'S

## THE FIGHTING IN FRANCE AND FLANDERS.

REINFORCEMENTS COMING INTO LINE.

General Foch's Decisive Stroke Not Yet Made. London, April 18

the reports of the British counter attacking and the indications such Bailleul and Meteren and the stubbornly defended support point of as the German strack on Robeneq, that the enemy is diverting his Cappelynde to the north of Bailleul. Strong English forces, supmain effort farther south again, threatening Bathane. This is partly ported by the French, vainly endeavoured to recepture Meteren die to the fact that French reinforcements are coming into the line, territory on both sides of Merris, but the attacks broke down with but there is still anxiety as to when General Food will make a decisive stroks now that the British have stood for four weeks the hammering of immense German reserves estimated at 420,000 men in a fashion which led French writers to describe the British armies as "The wing of sacrifice." Though all the experts do not endorse the opinion advanced in some quarters that the advance in the critical northern theatre is definitely checked it is agreed that the Germans have not obtained the decisive result they aimed at, thanks to the extreme stubbornness of the British resistance. The battle. in fact, appears to be following the course of the great series of German thrusts in October, 1914, which ended at Ypres and our failure was then due to their being no Allied reserve. That reserve now exists and has not yet been used. There will probably be contimous fluctuations in the northern area for some time to come but the salient fact of the fighting is the staying power of the British soldier. He has stood the most severe tests for a month and the frequency with which the enemy is repulsed at various points and is now being vigorously counter-attacked is a most healthy sign.

Enemy's Heavy Price For Recent Successes.

London, April 17. Bouter's correspondent at the British Headquarters, wiring on the evening of April 17, says:-The opinion is general amongst the troops that the past twenty-four hours has been anything but good for the enemy, despite his successes at Bailleul, Mavelaberg and Messines Ridge. The last-named has been largely neutralised because "at what a price." Our withdrawal to the east of Ypres was accomplished with masterly skill, the net result of which has been to greatly etiffen our power of resistance whilst forcing the enemy to lengthen his communications across unfavourable terrain. The bitter intensity of the fighting, which had been in progress since yesterdsy morning, lulled during the forencon and the hurricans of the artillery duel subsided into spasmodic outbursts with intervals of comparative calm. We have taken a good number of prisoners during the last two days. There are signs that another attack is coming between Brilleul and Wytechaete. Doubtless the enemy is determined, after the heavy sacrifices he has paid, to get Wytschaete and will make another onelaught to again remove us from there. Last night there was a sharp conflict at Boyelles, south of Arras, but it is quiet to day. Our positions are being fully held. Fierce shelling of Villers and Brettenneux led to expectations of an infantry

The Lys Battle Front.

London, April 18. bombardments this morning along the whole of the Lys battle-front Heavy onslaughts were made south-east of Kemmel Hill, west of were followed by attacks from the forest of Danieppe to Wytschaets. Merris and two attempts north-west of Wulverghem. The All were repulsed and we inflicted considerable losses. Our -counter-attacks are reported this morning to have succeeded in entering the villages of Meteren and Wytechsete, but we were unable to maintain these positions in face of continued attacks. The French are now co-operating on this front.

assault, but as yet it has not materialised.

The French Front.

London, April 17. April 16, says: -Although there have been no important battles campaign that the enemy employed four divisions, namely, Marin from Hangard to Noyon for several days the activities are reciprocal. Infantry, one Bavarian and two Prussian. Enemy concentrations to the north of the Somme indicate that he has abandoned the hope of a break through to Amiens. The French have maintained artillery supremacy and the enemy's front lines and communications have been continuously bombarded, paralysing attempts to fortify positions, breaking up convoys, and Impeding the establishment of hostile batteries. Meanwhile we are were 1,051 and the departures 1,063. The sinkings were nil above French a-istors have done magnificently. During nine days and attacked. nights they dropped seventy-three tons of bombs on enemy railway and muntion centres. During the same period thirty-one enemy seroplanes and three balloons have been shot down on the battlefield and innumerable attacks have been made by our fleets of aeroplanee, as many as eighty machines engaging at one time on a troop train and marching troops, which were machine-gunned from an altitude of from 50 to 300 feet. One of our squadrons at work on April 8, included fifty-three flights of fighting planes. There Strums plain took 155 English prisoners and some Greeks. were 120 air fights in which eight enemy machines were brought and five damaged. Forty eight tons of bombs were dropped the enemy. during various expeditions, in which Italian aquadrons participated.

Fighting North of Montdidler. London, April 18. - A French communique says:-There has been no infantry action. The enemy has furiously bombarded our first lines and counter fired.

The British Line Intact,

London, April 18. Field Marchal Douglas Heig in a communique states:- There in no change on the British front. During the night there was great activity of bostile artillery from Givenchy to east of Robecq. There is a leavy bombardment of our positions between Locon and Robert which was still continuing at dawn. We repulsed local atracka last night in the Merria sector. Details of yesterday's fighting at Nuppe Forcet and Wytechsete front cetablish the being a separate unit. Werity of the enemy's losses. Three waves of German infantry attacking routh-east of Kammel Hill pressed back our line slightly at one point: A counter-attack restrict the situation and an enemy attack was repulsed at all points. Three enemy attacks in the Bailled sector were completely repulsed. Our line was intect Irish G warmment policy. He said he had advised Ulster to support for recruiting officers. along the whole front this morning.

BEUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

THE FIGHTING IN FRANCE AND FLANDERS.

A German Message.

London, April 18 official wireless message states -- We doorpied advanced our lines near Beclaere and Gheluvelt. We stormed the village of Wytschaete and drove the counter-attacks. The enemy, while retreating routh-west of Wat and Mr. Austen Chamberlain a member of the War Cabinet, There is a more obserful note in the papers to-day, following Wulverghem, was pressed back across the Douve. We captured very heavy losses.

Belgians Take 600 Prisoners.

London, April 18. and the railway from Ypres to Thousout. Counter-attacks completely drove out the enemy, and we took six hundred prisoners.

Unprecedented Slaughter of Germans.

London, April 18. Mr. Percival Philips, the war correspondent, describes the German methods of attack on the Western Front, in an account of the heroic stand made by certain English units who prevented the enemy breaking through between Meteren and Strazeele, He raya that the units kept repelling the rushes all night long. The Garmans dribbled in a few men at a time, fresh parties coming along despite slaughter of their predecessors. The cesseless trickle of grey among the khaki uniforms resulted in accumulation of certain pockets, no matter how fast the British worked their guns. Sometimes these pockets, drifting together like particles of quick silver, would suddenly become a formidable menace on a flunk. incessant flow of Germans in twos and threes was on one cocasion built into a machine gun attack on one of the British Headquarters, whose staff was working at high pressure in a cottage. It found itself in a local no-man's land with bullets pattering on the wells. A relief force sipped the German advance just as it was about to cut off the cottage. Frequently the line was shifted so quickly that units in the rear found themselves in the front and a company of Germans would be stranded, enclosed by khaki. A feature of the battle is the heroism of British transport drivers, who were loading which the Police and Military will take energetic action. simmunition sometimes only a few hundred yards from German machine gans, supplying the front line with food and driving calmly throughout a constant bombardment. Mr. Philips says that the slaughter of the Germans at Meteren is unprecedented. Bodies are piled on the roadside lining the hedges. He emphasises that in straightening the Passchendaele Salient all guns and ammunition and Maarasen. vas removed or destroyed and nothing of value was left.

'Satisfactory Record in Our Favour." London, April 18.

Reuter's correspondent at British Headquarters, writing on April 18, says:—Yesterday was a strenuous time for our infantry in co-operation with the French, who are now engaged in the northern battle area. The day is a satisfactory, record newspapers regard Count Barian's appointment as guaranteeing the balancing heavily in our favour. The German waves dashed closest Austro-German alliance without restrictions. against our lines in half-a-dozen places. Only at Beavers Hill did Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports: -Intense hostile they force us to yield ground which a counter-attack regained. enemy's grand objective was undoutedly the domination of the ridge system from Cassel Hill to Wytecheets. While the Germans have not made definite gains their losses have been appalling. Our gamers auticipating the enemy's occupation of the evacuated Passchendaele Salient prepared to give him a warm reception When German infantry of Europe, they gathered another ghastly toll. The German attack of a supporter of the alliance policy. Bouter's correspondent at the French Headquarters, wiring on is near the coast. It is specially noteworthy at this stage of the

FRENCH AND ITALIAN SHIPPING RETURNS.

London, April 18. French shipping rourns show that arrivals for the past week ofgenising our positions in readiness for Books onslaughts. and one ship below 1,600 tons. There were no boats unsuccessfully

> The Italian shipping returns show that the arrivals for the past week were 394 and the departures 332. The sinkings were one vessel above 1,500 tons and one sailing ship above 100 tons. One vessel was unsucoessfully attacked.

> > The Balkans Campaign;

London, April 18.

The British War Office comments that the total B itieh crenalties

THE HOME RULE BILL

Cabinet Committee Appointed. ----Lindon, April 18.

The Cabinet Committee drawing up the Home Rule Bilt; onesome villages north of Montdidier. Our battettes effectively sists of ten, namely :-- Mr. Walter Long, Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Duke, suergetically in that Province as in the rest of the Dominion. Sir George Cave, Lord Ou z in, Unionists; D. Addison, Mr. Herbert Fisher, and Sir Gurdon Hewart. Liberala; Mr. Barnes, Labourite; and General Smate, Independent

Meeting of Unionist War Committee.

London, April 18. over by Lord Salabury, passed no resolution, but it is understood Tammerlots and Vibory, cutting rail communication with Petrograd here was enbeantial agreement in fivour of an immediate Paderal Home Rule in the United Kingdom, giving Ulster the option of

... Irish Unionists' Meeting.

London, April 18. Bir Edward Carson presided at a meeting of the Iriah Unionists, great that the latter, though wo king day and night, is unable to He devied that he had recommended Ulater to smept the whole cope with it. Hence an appeal has been issued for elerical assistance

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

BRITISH POLITICAL CHANGES.

Lord Milner Appointed Secretary For War.

London, April 18. The Press Bureau announces that Lord Derby Secretary for Samuel Young. M.P., who was

War, has been appointed Ambas ador Extraordinary and Minister Planipotentiary of the special mission to France in succession to enemy from heights to the north-east and west, repulsing lating Lord Francis Bertis. Lord Milner has been appointed Secretary for of Commons.

THE MAN-POWER BILL.

Discussion in the House of Lords. London, April 18.

In the House of Lords, speaking on the Man Power Bill, Lord Young, King and Co., distillers. Lansdowne heartily welcomed the messure. He said it was their of Belfast and was a member of duty to help to encourage to the utmost the gallant Army. He said the Royal Commission on Royal A Belgish communique says:-The Germans in force attacked he felt must strongly on the question. He was ready to overthrow Licensing Laws. and gained a feeting in the outpost system between Blankserspond many old notices and autagonists. That could now be done without inconsistency or harming the pledges given under less serious circumstances. At the same time Lord Lansdowne described conscription for Ireland as doubtful wisdom.

> Lord Derby, replying for the Government on the Man-Power Dabate, emphasised the great gravity of the present situation. Any minimising of the gravity would, in his opinion, be disastrous. At lat the Magistracy this morning in the same time he desired to emphasise that although one must have which firms were summoned for the greatest anxiety he was still quite confident as regarded the exporting goods without a permit. result. He supported the conscription movement for Ireland. because he believed the Government would get therefrom a number the Chey Lee firm; of 33, Wing of young men that would more than fill up the ossualties sustained. since March 21.

Bill Read a Second Time.

London, April 18. In the House of Commons the Man Power Bill was read second time.

HUNGER DEMONSTRATIONS IN HOLLAND.

A Proclamation Issued at Rotterdam.

London, April 18. Router's correspondent at Rotterdam states that the Burgomuster, in a proclamation beaded. "Disorder means famine," warns the people against collecting in crowds or unruly behaviour, against

Mob Barricades With Barbed Wire.

London, April 18. Rauter's correspondent at The Hague says a mob barricaded the street with barbed wire which cavalry broke. Hunger demonstrations have occurred at Gorinchem, Delft, Enkhuisen, Haarlem

AUSTRIA'S NEW FOREIGN SECRETARY.

What the Appointment Means,

London, April 18. According to Beuter's correspondent at Amsterdam, Vienna this case and explained that the firm was told that iron could be exported provided it was first in-

Count Czernin Thanked.

London, April 18. According to Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam the Emperor Karl has written to Count Carrnin expressing his warm thanks for past services and conferring the Brilliants of the Grand Cross of the Order of St. Stephen upon him. ed along. A permit was later

German Newspapers Welcome the Appointment. London, April 18.

Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam states that German newsadvanced over the dressy waste of the prest cemetery in the cockpit papers welcome Count Burian's appointment as they are convinced

Hungarian Cebinet Resigns.

London, April 18. According to Reuter's correspondent at Amsterdam a message from Budapest states that the Hungarian Orbinet has resigned.

Cause for The Resignation.

London, April 18. It is reported from Badapest that the resignation of the Osbinet is immediately due to the impossibility of reaching an agreement on the franchise question, but the appointment of Count Barian is also contributory. It is stated that the Premier, M. Wekerle, favoured the appointment of Count Andraesy.

CANADIAN PARLIAMENT'S SECRET SESSION.

London, April 18.

Beuter's correspondent at Ottawa, telegraphing on April 17.1 says :- The first Secret Session of the Canadian House of Commons A German official wireless message says; Bulgerians on the was hold to-day, when the Prime Minister communicated to the Members and Senators a statement revealing the seriousness of the war situation and the imperative necessity for a supreme first. down twenty-three forced down damaged, five balloons destroyed on the Strums were considerably less than the prisoners claimed by While extrems gravity and peril was realised the attitude of Parliament and Press was unmistakebly one of determination that the nation shall not falter, but me ke every scarifice of men as a means be did not know that he had to to reinforce the armice at the front. An order calling out every upmertied man from twenty to twenty-three and directing the registration of men of nineteen, was unanimously supported, as well as drastic masures taken to repress anti-war propagands, in the case would be met by a fine of Qiebec Nitionalist Press. Cinscription is also being enloreed

> GERMANS CUT RAIL COMMUNICATION WITH PETROGRAD. rather old Bow.

> > London, April 18.

Reuter's correspondent at Stockholm says that German troops A protested meeting of the Unionist War Committee, pr-sided which landed at Living bave advanced to Lahit, between

WELSH MINERS RUSHING TO JOIN THE COLOURS.

(Continued on sage 8,)

London, April 18,

--9.15 p.m. TO-MORROW. The rush of welch miners to the Cardiff recruiting offices is so Victoria Theatre-9:15 p.m. \*

Bijou Thestre-M. lb ath a .... New Honghous Dates and

TU-DAY Victoria Theatre 9.15 p.m.: Bijon Thestra-9.15 p.m. New Hongkong Cinematograph

DONT FORGET.

graph,--- Q.1,5 p.m.

THE BEST

DURABLE

ME MARKET

THE CHEAPEST BECAUSE

LASTS THE LONGEST

INSPECTION INVITED.

> DODWELL MACHINERY DEPARTMENT.

## THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

Elew Scheme for Children's Early Endowment: Principal features: Small Pramium, Liberal Surrender Value, No Medical Examination, Return of Premis in the Event of Deeth, and Numerous Options at the Age of 25. WHITE FOR PAMPHLET AND FULL PARTICULARS TO DODWELL & CO. LTD. Agents.



SOLE AGENTS:

THE EASTERN ASBESTOS CO. QUEEN'S BUILDING, CHATER ROAD, HONGKONG

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING 1987 ESTABLISHED 1883.

8 STRAND 4 to 15

CABLE LAID 5" to 15" CIRCUMPERENUE

4 STRAND 3" to 10" CIRCUMFERENCE.

NORTH BRITISH

AND

MERCANTILE

INSURANCE CO.,

in which are vested the shares of

THE OCEAN MARINE

INSURANCE CO. LTD.

THE RAILWAY PASSEN-

CERS ASSURANCE CO.

The Undersigned AGENTS for

the above Company are prepared

to ACCEPT RISKS against

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.

Agents.

Yorkshire

InsuranceCo.,Ltd.

ESTABLISHED 1884.

The Undersigned AGENTS for

prepared to ACCEPT RISKS

against FIRE at Current Rates.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.

AGENTS,

Photos-of-1918

RACE MEETING

The DERBY DAY CATASTROPHE

AT HAPPY VALLEY.

-PHOTOGRAPHER-I-

Ice House Street. Telephone 1013.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT

COMPANY, LIMITED.

PORTLAND CEMENT.

In Casks of 375 lbs. net.

In Begs of \$50 lbs. net.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO

Hongkong, 16th August, 1916.

General Managers.

MEE CHEUNG

Company are

FIRE at Current Rates.

CIRCUMFERENCE. Oil Drilling Cables of any size up to 3,000 feet in length, Prices, Samples and full particulars will be forwarded on application. General Managera. SHEWAN TOMES & CO.

C THREE

BRANDY SOLE AGENTS:

**CALDBECK** 

MACGREGOR & CO.

15, Queen's Road Central, Telephone No. 75.

## **ASTHMA** OAN BE CURED.

HER way be half suffocated, and sit up I all night boughing and gasping for breath when a SINGLE does of

NOBBS ASTHMA CURE

will give you certain, prompt relief and ensure a good, night's seet? This, the easy genuine cure for Asthma, discovered by Mr. NOBBE, a conditted Chemist, and a sufferer for many years, will if taken when necessary, effect a radical cure of this erstwhile incurable mainty. Obtainable at Mesire & S. WATSON & Co., Ltd. and all Chamiet and Patent Medicine Vendors.

Price; \$2.50 per bottle.

Established A.D. 1880, TRON, STEEL, METAL and HAND. and Retail Ironmengers, Pig. Iron; and Foundry Coke Imperiers. General Store-treners and Stigehardiers. Nor. 14, and El. Mag Long Street, (Ind Street, west of Country Maries). Jalogham Page 17, 17

TSANC FOOK. PIATOS & CREATS REPAIRED. TUR TO A RESULATED DASES RE-POLISH; CHEST SHAROES FOREISTERT MITE BEST WARRINGSTP, WES MATES OLVEN OR REGUEST.

HOTELS AND CAFES.

## HONGKONG HOTEL GRILL ROOM.

LEVEL. TES FROM LANDING STAGE. THE MANAGEMENT OF MRS. BLAIR.

#### CRAND HOTEL.

A first-class and up-to-date Hotel, most central location within the vicinity of all the principal Banks. Noted for the best Food, Refreshments, Accommodation and Cleanliness.

Onisine under European Supervision.

A first-class string Orchestra renders selections from 530 P.M. to 11.30 P.M. Special monthly terms for residents and for Shipping People. For further particulars apply :--W. BARKER, Manager.

...Telephone No. 197. Telegraphic Address "COMFORT."

CENTRAL LOCATION. ELECTRIC LIFTS AND LIGHTING. TELEPHONE ON EACH FLOOR.

HOTEL LAUNCH MEETS ALL STEAMERS. Tel. 373. Telegraphic Address: "VICTORIA" J. WITCHELL.

## EUROPE HOTEL, SINGAPORE.

UNDER NEW BRITISH MANAGEMENT.

THE PREMIER HOTEL. FINEST SITUATION. EXCELLENT CUISINE.

ARTHUR E. ODELL.

Manager

(Late GrandWiotel, Southcliffe, England and Royal Palace Hotel, London, W.)

NOTICES.

## HONEY AND CREAM

Is particularly recommended for ROUGH, HARD OR IRRITATED SKIN, CHAPPED FACE, LIPS AND HANDS, SUNBURN, WINDBURN, COLD SORES.

and all the various CONDITIONS OF THE SKIN OF LIKE CHARACTER

CHILBLAINS, BURNS, SCALDS, FLESH WOUNDS, CHAFING,

MOSQUITO AND OTHER INSECT BITES.

TEL. NO.

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

TEL NO.

CARS FOR HIRE PROMPT SERVICE.

Sole Distributors for South China and Macao for the OVERLAND, HUDSON and CHANDLER Motor Cars, and the HARLEY DAVIDSON Motor Cycles. KOWLOOM BRANCH. 26. MATHAN ROAD. TEL. K. 226.

PROPRIETOR: C.

LAURITSEN. Tel. 482.

## E. HINC

HARDWARE MERCHANTS.

25, WING WOO ST.

NOTICES.

# LIGHT and POWER

MOST ECONOMICAL PLANT ON THE MARKET.

"Uni-Lectric" Plant uns smoothly & silently Lights 33-16 ap lamps: Runs on 75 % kerosens. Lubricates à cools itself. Runs Fans, Radiators Starts up instantly.

Uni-Lectric d in detail 110 Volts Direct Curren Height only 4 feet. No complicated board. Self-regulating. Sierre-vaive engine.

A CLEAN AND SAFE ELECTRIC PLANT We can show you several in operation. You must see them to be convinced.

Price \$850 as illustrated. MACHINERY DEPT. 4. Des Yoeux Road, Central.

Telephone 27.

## LONDON DIRECTORY

(Published Annually)

ENABLES traders throughout the World to communicate direct with English

MANUFACTURRES & DEALERS in each class of goods. Besides being a complete commercial guide to London ard its suburbs, the Directory contains lists of EXPORT MERCHANTS

with the goods they ship, and the Colonia and Foreign Markets they supply.;

PROVINCIAL TRADE NOTICES

of leading Manufacturers, Merchants, etc., in the principal provincial towns and in-dustrial centres of the United Kingdom.

A copy of the current edition will be for-warded freight paid, on receipt of Posts 1 Order for 25s.

Dealers seeking Agencies can advertise their trade cards for £1, or larger advertise. ments from £1.

THE LONDON DIRECTORY, CO., LTD., 25. Abchurch Lane, London, E.C.

Any European, Non-Asiatic or Indian desiring to leave the Colony should apply in person at the Central Police Station. between the hours of 9 a.m. p.m. and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Applicants will be required to produce Passports or identification papers.

All persons with certain exceptions who remain in the Colony for more than 7 days are required to Register themselves under the REGISTRATION PERSONS ORDINANCE 1916. Forms of Registration giving the particulars required may obtained at the G. P. O. and at. all Police Stations.

THE NEW PREMCH REMEDY. WILL MOZ MALE THE RAPION Chemists. CURL

BEA THAT TRADE MARKED WOFD "THERAFION" I

#### LESSONS. FRENCH

C. MOUSSION.

15. Morrison Hill Road.

# 

FOR

PER MONTH.

# ROBINSONS

## GENERAL NEWS.

Spies In Japan.

The Metropolitan Police Headquarters late on the 22nd ultimo. says the Japan Chronicis, issued a notice to the Press prohibitingthe publication of any accounts of the activities of enemy spice in Jaran. This was in connection with some sensational stories published in the Nicks Nicks The Kokusai News Agendy Doise that 'unfortunately the instructions to the Press were given in the usual haphassed and unmethodical way by the Bolice were restrained from publishing the story, others were sllowed to give it in full. The comsorship exists and the Press subtoits to it but it is impossible not to feel that the Asahi was more than justified in its mild complaint the other day that the conscrahin is worked in an unjust and irresponsible manner."

Robbery and Murder at

Viadivostok. On the 4th instant at about 9 a m. several robbers broke into the offices of the Ishida Shoten. a Japanese firm at Vladivostok, and shooting the proprietor and two others, made off with the cash, Two of the Japanese were killed. while the other was seriously injured. According to a wireless message received in a certain quarter, says a Maidantu message to the Archi, the situation at Vladivoctok has grown very grave since the 4th instant, when theme robbers broke into a certain firm's premises and murdered hise Japanese citizens. Immediately on teceipt of the news of the marder of the Japanese, says the message, Commander Kalo of the Japanese fleet in the port, landed men from the warships to undertake the task of protecting Japanese residenta.

"Acropiane Over Kobe.

As previously appointed. (says the Japan Chronicle of April 16) Mr. Goto Masso, who successfully accomplished a nun-stop : flight from Tokorozawa, near Tokyo: to Osaks a few days ago, the first aviator to accomplish The Penalty for non-com- this fest-flew from Osaka pliance is a fine not exceeding to Takamatan yesterday morning. The day was fine and ideal weather for aviation. At the parade ground, Oasks, whence the start was made, a crowd gathered quite early in the morning. Shortly after 8 o'clock Mr. Goto made s trial flight, when it was found that something was wrong with the engine. The necessary repairs having been made, the airman started on his journey to Takamaisu at 10.40 a.m. Kobe was reached at 11 a.m. when the hum of the motor brought the people into the streets. Mr. Goto was flying low and apparently very screnely. He described a curve over the city and then disappeared over the western horizon. flying along the railway. Travelling via Maiko, Akashi, and Shikama. Mr. Goto reached Takamateu shortly after 1 pm. He is planning to fly at various places in Shikoku.

> The appointment by the Admiralty of Bix artists to make a pictorial record of the mavy's work in the war will do comething, eave London writer, to give the publicity which, for good enough reasons at the beginning, bas still been denied to it. Now we are in the fourth year of the war matters which wers formerly thought secret are now common knowledge, and a very large part of the vast work of the navy can quite well be rold in detail to the world. There are many signs that views on the subject have largely chinged, and is is probable that we shall read much more about the "trenches in the North Sea" than we have been allowed to do before. The pictorial record should be wary interesting. Bir John Lavery is going to paint the navy in the Mediterrinean. He is well accustomed to the climate and the lighting there, for he had a house in Morocco where he regularly spent part of each /year. Mr. Philip Connerd will paint the light craft of the Harmon fictilis.
> Mr. Charles Page, who is well-known yachtsman, and Mr.

Painting the Fleet.

Nelson Dawson will be on board shipe, Mr. Glyn Philpoi and Mr. Ambrose McEvoy will, paint naval portraita.

Germans Deport Children of 13. Havre, March 6-The Germans continue to dynamite the engines, machines and foundstions in factories, according to Belgians recently escaped from Belgium. Tuey are also carrying off the rails from street and local line have disappeared entirely. It is said the rails are being shipped to Germany. Diportations of Bilgians continue and have extended to children 13 years of

Tientsin's "Man Power."

The China Critic understands that the British Consulate-General at Tientein is continuing its suquiries from all the male British subjects in that port, between certain ages, as to their willingness to serve and requesting full details of their age, past service, etc. There are at lesst fifty men who could easily be spared from Tientain if necessary, without in the lesst crippling business, if their services are required and their expenses paid

Proud of his Feet.

Gooss Creek, Tex, March 2 -Private Mose Jefferson, the negro who was honourably discharged from the National Army at Camp Travis, San Antonio, because the Government could not find shoes big enough to fit him, is back in his little log cabin home near Goose Creek. He is sloshing around unshed, as he been doing ever since gaw the light of day about twenty-five years ago Mose's feet required a No. 15 shoe During the three months that he spent at Camp Travia he was a sere trial to the officials of the supply department, as well se to the officers who had charge of the drilling of the company to which he belonged. Mose is proud of the distinction he has attained Grand Duchess Refuses to Wed

Prussian, Geneva, Switzerland, March 7. -Inhabitants of Luxemburg, inoluding two Judges, and also geveral Swiss tradesmen, have arrived in Zarich. They declare that the remest of the young Duchess of Luxemburg to accept a Prossisu Prince as a hushand continues to cause to cause the greatest irritation in Berlin royal oiroles. Nearly every three months a new Prince is sent down to Lux-mburg and the Dachess is obliged to receive him. The Grand Duchese of Luxemburg, now 24 years of age. the most beautiful of eix beautiful eisters, succeeded her father in 1912 Ali the sisters were educated by French governmenan. It is said hat when the Kuiser passed through Laxemburg, a fortnight siter the German Army had invaded the country, and called to pay his respects. Marie Adelaide. Grand Dachese, declined to receive bim.

Indigo Blue Secret. Washington, Merch 7.-The dearth of dyestuffs in the United States, owing to the stoppage of the German supply appears likely now to be met substant ally by production at home. The Government has been advised that the du Points have successefully made the first run of indigo blue and produced an article. quite up to the Cerman or Swiss. etandards. This result has been attained by long and painetaking experimentation, starting from the patented German formulae, which, es an incident of the war etatue citizene of the United States may utilize. Oning to the neculiar manner in which the German patents were taken out and the incomplete statement of the formulas themselves, it has been a tedious process to get the desired recults, but this ha been accomplished, it is understood with entire success. The schievement has come none too goon, as the entire supply of indigo dyes is. limited all over the world. This. dys is now worth \$17,000 a ton. B.S.A. MOTOR BICYCLES.





SEE LAZARUS

OPHTHALMIC OPTICIAN 28, Queen's Road Central.

## DISINFECTION

IS MOST NECESSARY TO YOU AT THIS TIME.

We Hold Stocks of:-

JEYES' FLUID SANITAS OKOL SANITAS SOLDIS

in one gallon Drums, or larger quantities

GOSSAGE'S CARBOLIC SOAP.

PERCHLORIDE OF MERCURY, in wholesale quantities,

For Prices Apply to:-

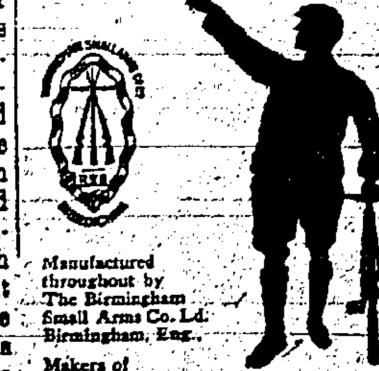
# W. C. HUMPHREYS & CO.

5. DUDDELL STREET.

NOTICE.

NOTICE.

RIDE A



HONGKONG DOG,

POULTRY AND PICEON SHOW

HE Committee have decided to postpone-the-closing-ofthe entries in the Poultry and Pigeon classes until MUNDAY the 22nd inst., at Noon.

Special pens for showing will be provided at the Show Grounds. A number of Prizes have been kindly presented for Poultry and Pigeons only.

By Order of the Committee, G. W. GEGG.

Hon. Secretary & Treasurer. Hongkong, 17th April, 1918.

## Prepaid Advertisements.

ONE CENT PER WORD

TO BE L

ROOM on second fivor of Prince's Building. Apply H.M.H. Nemazee.

TO BE LET.—No. 3, CANTON Villas, Kowloon., Apply to:-HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT L& AGENC CO, LTD.

LET.—RESIDEN-TIAL FLAT in Prince's HONG KONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.

TO BE LET.—HOUSES on Shameen, CANTON.

Apply to: HONGKONG INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.

TO BE LET.—A FLAT in Nathan Road, Kowloon. FOUR ROOMED-HOUSES in Kowloon.

Apply to: HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE CO., LTD., Alexandra Buildings.

WANTED.

WANTED -Second band sene preferred), 8 to 10 H.P. Replies to Box 1383 c/o 'Hongkong "BAFGAIN" c/o "Hongkong Telegraph."

FOR EACH-INSERTION.

WANTED.

BE LET.-A LARGE TATANTED.-POSITION by an ENGLISHMAN many years Eastern Business Experience. Write Box 1381 c/c Hongkong Telegraph."

> ANTED.—To buy one size BILLIARD TABLE complete with accessories. New or and hand. Apply J.M.B. c/o Hongkong Telegraph."

WANTED.-Without board NICELY FURNISHED Building. Apply to :- THE ROOM with private bathroom. Higher level preferred. Apply Box 1385 c/o "Telegraph Telegraph."

> WANTED.—Two MARINE ENGINEERS with shop experience to act as Workshop Foremen, also a Foreman Marine Boiler-maker and a Foreman Ship Carpenter to take up duties in Shanghai. Address all communications to Z. Y. X. clo 'Hongkong Telegraph."

> > FOR SALE.

COR SALE.— "GALESEND." 109 The Peak, 6 rooms. Apply :- C. H. Gale, P.W. Dept.

LOR SALE. TUSCULUM, Barker Road, 155. Pesk apply DUNCAN CLARK, c/o Lane, Crawford & Co.

MARINE MOTOR , kero-, FOR SALE: - MOTORCYCLE \$350, or exchange. Apply Telegraph.

NOTICES.



EASILY OPERATED FOR PRICES AND PARTICULARS APPLY TO ;-

MUSTARD & CO., DES VŒUE BOAD CENTRAL. TELEPHONE 1168.

AGENTS IS FOOCHOW, AMOY, SWATOW and CANTON, BRITISH AMERICAN TOBACCO CO.



\$5.30 Imperial Bouquet per Crown Prince 2,35 2.35 2.35 Extra Fine (Grand-Format) Nectar 1,10 Club Size 3.60 Non Plus Ultra 1.85 Superfine \ 2.40 # 1.20

SOLE AGENTS :--

THE HONGKONG CICAR STORE CO., LD.

HOTEL MANSIONS.

NOTICES.

# LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.



## "AERTEX" CELLULAR UNDERWEAR FOR MEN

CLOTHING FOR THE SUMMER.

# SINGLE & DOUBLE -- TERAI HATS --

MADE EXPRESSLY FOR ---

EXTREMELY LIGHT IN WEIGHT AND PER-FECTLY SUN PROOF DISTINCTLY SMART APPEARANCE AND IDEAL SPORTS USE.

NOW SHOWING --

TAILOR AND OUTFITTER. NEXT DOOR TO THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

## KALOTHERMINE.

A SAFE AND SIMPLE APPLICATION.

HAS BEEN USED WITH CONSPICUOUS SUCCESS IN THE TREATMENT OF PNEUMONIA, BRONCHITIS. SPRAINS. BRUISES, BOILS, BURNS, AND IN ALL INFLAMMATORY CONDITIONS WHERE TREATMENT IS REQUIRED.

## ANTISEPTIC AND ANTIPHLOGISTIC

Easy to use and Entirely supersedes the old fashioned LINSEED POULTICES, BLISTERS. PLASTERS, Etc.

Bole Agents: A. S. WATSON & CO. LTD Hongkong

NOTICES.

THE HONGKONG & SOUTE CHINA WAR SAVINGS ASSOCIATION.

Membership of the above Association may be obtained from all the Banks or from the undersigned."

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LTD.

Honorary Secretaries & Treasurers. Hongkorg, 15th January, 1917.

THE DAIRY FARM CO., LTD.

PPLICATION has been made to the Directors of this Company to issue to Walter Dourlas Graham of Hongkons (deceased) a duplic- te Certificate of sixty shares in the Comp ny or other Certificates in lieu the eof upon the statement that the original Certificate- No. 9 9 for shares numbered 28775/28834 and dated 11th Jacuary 9.9 has been lost or destroyed, AND NOTICE 'S HEREBY GIVEN that if within 30 days from the date hereot no claims or representation in respect of such original Certificate is made to the Directors they will proceed to deal with such application for a Certificate.

M. MANUK, Secretary. Dated 4th day of April, 1918. NOTICES.

### WARD OFF DISEASE HEPPELL'S FLY SPRAY

Will permeate the atmo-A PPLICATION forms for sphere of your rooms, and kill all flys, mosquitos and disease germs. Harmless and of pleasant odour. Outfits consisting of atomizer and bottle of fluid, price \$6.00 net.

> Extra bottles of fluid \$2.00 FRANK SMITH & CO. & DES VŒUX ROAD, CENTRAL.

TEL. 2090. HONGKONG.

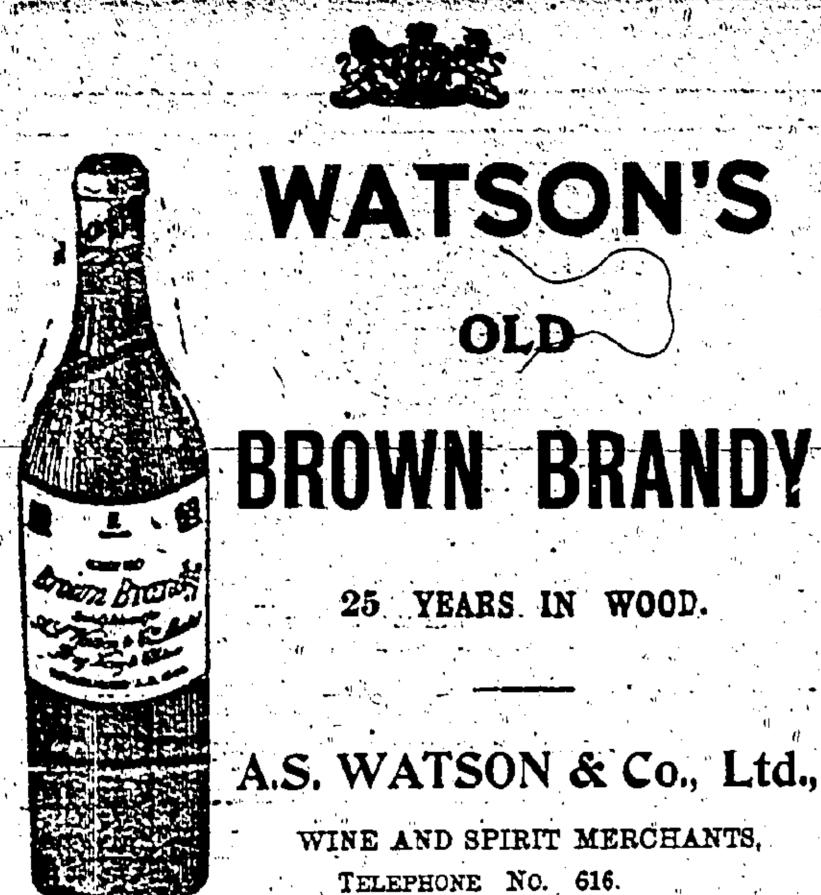
Names for 1918 issue of the HONGKONG

DIRECTORY.

DOLLAR DIRECTORY CO. P. O. Box 431.

MR. HONDA Trained male Massett, Formerly of Tokyo Millery Emples. IF PREFERED.

HO. BA QUEEN'S MOLO, CENTRAL



Correspondents are requested to observe the rule which femires them to forward their names and addresses with Semmunications addressed to the Editor, not necessarily for Eshlisation, but as an evidence of their bona fides.

to the Editor. Business correspondence should be sent to the Manager.

The rates of Subscription to the "Hongkong Telegraph" will be as follows: Daily issue-\$36 per annum. Weekly issue- evident that General Foch \$13 per annum.

The rates per quarter and per mensem, proportional. Subscriptions until the enemy has fairly well for any period less than one month will be charged as for a exhausted himself, and that he full month:

The daily issue is delivered free when the eddressee is accessible to doing so is testified by all the messenger. Peak subscribers can have their copies delivered at Correspondents who have written their residences without any extra charge. On copies sent by on the enemy's desperate offensive. poet an additional \$1.80 per quarter is charged for postage. The postage on the weekly issue to any part of the world is \$1,00 Mr. Percival Phillips, the well-

per quarter. Hingle Copies, Daily, ten cents. Weekly, twenty-five cents (for cash only).

Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed as a result "chiefly of their inperiod will be continued until countermanded. (Payable in Advance.)

The "Hongkong Telegraph" is now on sale at, and will be delivered to subscribers by, the Dairy Farm Company, Ltd., Shameen, From the beginning of the offen-Canton, who have been appointed our agents there. "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH." By Order,

## The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1918.

#### THE POSITION OF THE DUAL MONARCHY.

The sensational publication of the letter which Emperor Karl present so large a force in France of Austria sent to Prince Sixte of Bourbon with regard to the dis- and Flanders as we should position of Alsace Lorraine makes a reference to the position of like to have, and the large num-Austria-Hungary in this war not only timely but greatly needed. ber of enemy reserves which have It has been a fact too little commented on that when a reference is been withdrawn from the Esstern made to the enemy, it is Germany alone that is referred to and one theatre of the war has rather upgets so used to this association that Germany's Allies are greatly set our calculations. It seems to view of the great difficulty of left out of the reckoning-a policy highly dangerous and unwise. be the esse, therefore, that the The average Englishman will think it sofficient to say that we are enemy's "crush through" tactica at war with Germany and that the Germans must be thoroughly are just what is required besten, but he will probably stop there unless questioned further, equalise matters a bit, and it is There exists a widespread impression that the Allies of Germany therefore to be hoped that they deserve more mercy than the senior member of the group, and that will continue to commit suicide in they are fools rather than knaves. Many have a suspicion that this manner until General Foch blind, was charged before Mr. Austria is really all right at heart and that the Hungarians might is prepared to finish the operation J. R. Wood, at the Police Court very well be extended the hand of friendship. But, it seems to us by launching the Allied offensive. this morning, with the theft of a evil, the peros of Europe will be viry seriously threatened. When The Enemy Doesn't Like Our of the total value of \$45 from a it comes to be spoken about, the case against Austria is really well-known, even if it is ignored. The raisen d'etre of the war was Austria's monstrous ultimation to Serbia with the subsequent events it led to, and it is common knowledge that the Pan-German League receives a great deal of its support from German-Austria and spends most of its labours in Litin and Slav Austria. Students of Central European politics know well enough that the Magyare cannot be said to vield to the Germans in sambition, arrogance, tyranny and cruelty. All that a Briton means when he talks of freedom, liberty of speech, the right to make one's own laws and speak one's mother tongue-all this Aretris has definitely challenged.

If any proof were needed beyond what existed before of Austria's unscrapulous nature, the latest direlesure should provide it. Whilet natenaibly a "whole-hogger" with Germany in the claim that Alsace-Lorraine should remain under German rule, the head of the Hapsburg House writes to a relative with Allied sympathics and poses as a champion of the right, who is temporarily forced to-do wrong. He has always supported, he says, the restoration of there essentially French provinces, but does not hesitate to send troops and gons to help the Germans to secure their retention. When duplicity is exposed to cublic light be adopts the only course of his kind, and lies that the letter was never written. But the farther disclosures promised by M. Clemenceau will probably constitute too great a proof for Emperor. Karl to explain away, and it will be snough of bombs from the thy, senteriou wes to the Rev. W. T. P. & Co. (Mr. by interesting to watch developments. One hears of there being honour among rogues, but Austria's monarch is an exception even to this rule.

Despite all that has transpired to demonstrate that Austria-Hungary is as much a menace as Germany, the public and many representative stategmen seem to have shrunk from any positive statement of policy with regard to the coal monarchy. S'me time ago one clear statement was made, this heing a definition by ties will also seriously "exemine" knife, and a siver trainer, this ability on the President Wilson that Austria must liberate ber sal jet natione, the question before definitely saited inscribed. To Mr. and Ilon Mr. Chau. Severa the treatment to be meted out to Germany e mentert parrier. This constant mention of Germany without Austria; needs to cover if we are ever fally to realise who it is that we are figoting. Bulgerie and Tarkey, too, should not be omitted; for every part of the enemy alliance is as inherently had as the centre. The Allies are fighting upon them and it is like the There was a very good musical, Mr U W. Traim of a clique which seeks to profit by the force of might; and unless that cowardly core to cry out as they programme gone throught and (Mor. hly sub) come will be regiously lessened.

The Spotted Fever Outbreak.

The public will have read with deep interest the announcement services of a doctor, a specialist in cerebro-spinal meningitis, has been secured from the Rockefeller Institute of New York. this terrible epidemic, which, since it made its first appearance has exacted such a big toll, the energy and forceight of our Sanitary Authorities, working in conjunction with the Colony's Medical sed that the outbreak was commendable promptitude and being a Chinese. in a business like manner, with the result that the disease has been checked, and there is a considerable falling off in the number of fresh cases. It is very satisfactory that the services of specialist have been secured, an we hope that with his experience the will be able to impart some valuable advice so that the disease All communications intended for publication should be addressed may be stamped out.

The Enemy Exhausting Himself.

It is daily becoming more reserving his expected offensive running a very serious risk of In one of to day's telegrama known correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph, narrates how the Germans at Meterenhave fatuated belief in massed formstion tactice, had to meet "unprecedented elaughter. sive the enemy has been mow down in thousands, and it quite clear that no matter how large may be the number of their reserves, they cannot go on much morning. lobger losing men in such an appalling manner. However, i much better. Owing to the many fronts in which our Armies are distributed, we have not a

Reprisals.

to "the effect plied that no such request had labour. so far been made by the enemy.

DAY BY DAY.

made by the Chairman of the IN THE WORLD TO WORRY OVER THE THINGS YOU CAN CONTROL Senitary Board, at the meeting AND THE THINGS YOU CAN'T CONlast Tuesday, to the effect that the TROL. FIX THE FIRST; FORGET

> To-morrow's Anniversary. To morrow is the anniversary of the destruction by Admiral Blake of the Spanish Fleet in Gold Flop

The Dollar. The opening rate of the dollar on demand to-day was 3s. 11 d.

Spotted Fever. Yesterday there were twelve csess of cerebro spinal fever Stoff, is worthy of the highest reported in Hongkong, nine bepraise. From the first they read ing from the City and three from outside districts. There were nine serious one, and without delay deaths. There was also one fatal the problem was tackled with case of diphtheria, the victim

> An Oplum Case. For having ten taels prepared opium in his possession. Chinese was charged before Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Magietracy morning. It was proved that a Revenue Officer found the drug concealed in a bag that the man was carrying. A fine of \$750 or four months' hard labour was imposed.

Timely "First Aid." We learn that several of the members of the Saipingpun Ambulance Division rendered prompt and extremely useful service to a woman who had sustained a number of severe is juries, occaslioned by a fall from the top storey of a house in Third Street. "First Aid" was rendered and the patient was expeditionally conveved to the Government Civil Hospital in the School Ambulance.

A Serious Charge, At the Police Court this morning, before Mr. J. R. Wood, B Javanese sailor was charged with stabbing and wounding another Javanese at Wanchai. Inspector Sim stated .that the defendant stabbed the other man several times in the neck and in the hand with a knile. The injured man had been taken to hostital in a very serious condition. His Worship remanded the defendant until Tuesday

Theft of Itan Piping. A Chinese was charged before such tactics suit the enemy, it is Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Police certain that they suit the Allies Court this morning, with the theft of a quantity of iron piping from the Star Ferry Company, Kowloon. It was stated by Sergeant Talloch that on Wednesday night the man was arrested whilst carrying the iron at Yaumati. Mr. Robertson of the Company stated the piping was spare piping begetting it replaced the case was a serious one. His Worship sentenced the man to three months' hard labour.

Theft at Yaumati. woman at Yaumsti. It appeared that the first man broke into the That the Germans are thorough- complainant's house in Shanghai alarmed by the little taste of Street and was later discovered A Sympathiser the Allied air raids which they together with the other man in a have recently received is again back passage putting the money Mr. S. G. Newall convincingly, borns out by an into his pockets and with a box interpellation which has just of clothing before him. His Helf Proceeds of the been made in the Reichetag Worship did not think that the that "all blind man had any bing to do sir raids out of the war zone with the theft and discharged should cease." To which the him, but rentenced the other

Government's representative re- defaudant to three mouths hard Presentations. but that if it were it would he The congregs ion of St. Peter's Mr. H. O'ren Caraten-" carefully examined. In other Church and others gathered at wor's, the Gorman's find that the the Sailors' Home, Des Vosiz Mr T. Kring (Month. reprisals of the British and Road West last evening, a musically such ) ... French svistors over their towns call evening having been arranged M. F. E. A. Worses is creating a very "panicky" for the purpose of providing and (Manthir sub.) .... i-cling rmong their compatriots, opportunity to make two interest. Mr. a. C. P derson and that they have had more than ing presentations, Too first pre- ( 1) and his and) While everyone will wish that Featherstone and Mi-a: Boneon," there raids, which have been so who are shortly to be married and C.H. H. M. in higenh.) -- 25 prolific in the deaths of so many the other was to Mr. and Mrs. G. C wf Insureign Kerr non-combatments and in the Piercy, who are soon do- to be (M-nilly sub) ... senseless destruction of property, lesving for Home. Mr. Feether Ica ectar Gordon' may be brought to a standatill, ret stone was presented with a silver (Mintilly sub)..... it is to be hoped that car authoris tea kettle, silver butter dieb and Sugeant Willie (Mindeciding to relieve the snemy Mea Piercy was banded a han's (Monthly ob; ... from comething of which he is in some and and anbrell. Brus-hers (Monthly mortal fear. It cannot be said that Speeches testifying to the hig : | eu's) .... the Germans bave not iboroughly ease m in which Mr. and Mrs. Wook " Sus Woon deserved the punishment inflicted Pierov are held were maile. (31 onthing out ) are doing now only when it is sliggether a very enjoyable Mr. 1. Satherland beginning to short themselves, evering was spent. (Monthly sub.) ...

WAR CHARITIES. Mr. L. A. Lingley (Monthly sub.) ... Mr. J. O. Wildia (Monthly sub) ... (Subscription List No. 24). Mr. H. Skott (Month: ly anb.) M. Wolfers (Monthly sub) ... Sieff-Messre. A. S. Race Tickets. Victoria Pritish School (Monthly sub.) L. (Monthly Bev. Soboles V.R. C. Proceeds 2 billiard matches ... His Hon. Mr. H. H. Gomper'z (Monthly E. Davidson (Monthly sub.) ... Mr. E. L. Agess's (Monthly sub. months) ... Hon. Mr. E. H Sharp (Monthly eab.) Mr. C. G. Alabastor (Monthly sub.) Mr. E. Irving (Monthly sub.)" ... Staff-G. (Monthly sub.) ... Ladies' Working Party of the Union Church (Monthly Boxen t Blake Pier, G P.O. Peak Tram Station and Star Farry Pier Mr. W. Murray Scott 42.70 Mr. "A.G. Warren (Monthly sub. 3 months) ... Dahlia Tiffin Sweep... Mr. A. B. Bryson ... Mr. Stanley H. Dodwell (Monthly sub.) Mr. G. Morton Smith (Monthly sub.) ... Mr. E. G. Smith (Monthly sub.) ... Mr. J.H.O. Goodban (Monthly sub.) ... (Monthly sab. 3 months) Mr. J. Elliott (Monthly sub. 2 months.)... Mr. S. Baker (Monthly sub. 3 months) .... Mr. T. Stuart (Month ly sub. ) Victoria Bitish School (Montheub.) Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin (Monthly sub) C. Thorne (Monthly sub) ... Sir W. Recs Davies (Monthly sub.) ... H. E. Sir F. H. May (Monthly sub) ... Mre. H. G. Murray Scott (Monthly sub. 2 months) Mr. C. A. Hooper Mr. E. H. R.y Stonecutters... Kowloon British (Monthly School sub. Feb. & March) Ojagar Singh (Monthly sub.) S. and E. G. Ten Dancea at Horgkong Hotel ... Staff-Marere. Line Crawford and Co. (Monthly sub.) .... Mr. V. Fjore (Monthly suh ) ... (dea.v.ld at W) ace

Wateon & Company (Monthly snb.) ... Hin Hop. Mr. H. H. Gamperts (Monthly E. Davidson (Monthly aub.)" ... Mr. E. L. Agassis (Moothly sub.) ... Hon. Mr. E. H. sharp (Monthly rab.) .... Mr. O. G. Alabastor (Monthly sub.) ... Ladies' Working Party of the Union Oburch (Monthly Mr. J. L. McPherson (Monthly sab.) ... L. N. L. (Monthly Mr. W. Danbar ... Dr. and Mrs. Marriott. (Monthly sub). Hongkong Club 20 por cent of the Club's commission: on 1918 Bace Sweeds Collected from Boxes, G. P. O. Hongkong Hotel, Blake Pier, Tramway Station and Star Ferry ... Boyal Hongkong Golf \ Clab-proceeds of competitions Mr A. B. Avasia ... Mr. S. H. Dodwell (Monthly sub.) ... Mr G. Morton Smith (Monthly sub.) ... Mr E. G. Smith (Monthly sub.)... Mr J. H. C. Goodban (Monthly sub.) .... Mr E. Irving (Monthly sub.)... Mesers Carrimbhoy and Co. Mr J. Olsen ... Mr A. R. Ausein ... Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin (Mouthly agab.) 7.50 St. ff-G.P.O. (Monthly sub.) ... Mr. W. Marray Scott Monthly subs. Blinded Soldiers & Sailors Society. Billiarde Hongkong Gymkhana Clab Hongkong Drby ... Navy and Dockyard (Monthly sub.) ... A. W. (Monthly sub.) Passengers 8/3 "Hanamet" per J. L. Lenucz ... Ladies' Bridge Book (Monthly sub) Mesers. Patell & Co. (Monthlyenb.) Kowloon Bowling Green, 10 per cent of Derby Sweep ... A. W. (Monthly sub.) Navy and D. okyard (Monthly sub.) ... Hongkong Civil Service Cricket Club, 10 per cent- of Derby Sweep ... Monthly subscriptions Red Cross. Rice Tickets Staff - G. P. O. . Monthly sub) ... Proceeds of Kongmoon Tennis Tournament Amoy Clab, Red Cr BB Bick Mr. R. F. C. Hedge-Another Ten R3 Farling ... H U J. .... Bill ard Hantierp ... Posk Culy proceeds of L: Col. J. S. William Milne I. D. F. lecture. on. 8/4/18 on Mes nor mis S: - ff - U. P. O. (Marthly ent) Mr. C. W Fak Hon, M. H. E Pollock Musthly sab.) ... P. J. L O. (Monthly (40h.) Mr. H B.L. Downiggen

(Moothly +ah) ...

Hon. Mr. B. E. Po'-

P. J. L. O (Monthly)

-30 - leck (Monthly eub)

en b.)

TO-MORROW'S MAR-ATHON RACE

Further Particulars

By the kind permission of M j'r Morgen and the Officers of the regiment, the Band of the 18th Infantry will play in Queen's Statue Square from about 245 p.m. and during the running of the Race to morrow.

Driver Ghebs Khap, Mule Corps, will take the place of No. 22, Saddler Jan Ram, Mula Corps. the latter having been taken ill.

Pace making. Pace making at the forthcoming Marathon Race is probibited. Any competitor who drops out will not be permitted to again come into the race for purpose of pace making. Mr. T. F. Hough, Assistant Superintendent of Police, will

act as an assistant Judge. The Umpires will be wearing white police uniform, and will therefore wear red bands, instead: :: 1 of white bands, on the left arm.

304 22 Mr. H.B L. Dowbiggin (Monthly sah.) ... Monthly subscriptions British and Foreign Sallors' Society. . E. Sir F. H. May. Pipe Fund. Mr. F. G. Becke (Monthly sub.) G. Becke (Monthly sub.) 10 Soldiers and Sailors Families Association. P. J. L. O. (Monthly Mr. H. A. Niebet (Monthly sub.) ... P. J L. O. (Monthly A. Nisbet (Monthly aub.) Blue Cross.

The Gymkhans Club Prisoners of War. Polics, per Sgt. Boulger (Monthly enb.) 39 35 A Fisherman (Month-97.60 ly sub.) ... 3,064.00 Proceeds of a concert Helena May Institute, by Mr. Denman Fuller ... Mr. A. W. Smith (Monthly sub.) 106.50 Some Members of the Hongsong Clab (Monthly and.) A Fisherman (Month-

ly sub.) Police, par Bouiger (Monthly Part proceeds of Recital given by Mr. Denman Fuller at Government House Naval Prisoners of War. Half of Net proceeds

of the Dramatic Entertainment given at the City Hall 23/2/18 by Mr. & Mrs. A. P. Stekes 1.339.45 King George's Sailors' Fund. Half of Net proceed of the Dramatic Entertainment given: at the City Hall

136.87

23/2/18 by Mr. & Mrs. A. P. Stokes 1,339 48 Scottish Women's Hospital. Kiles R fil Kowloon Oricket Clab Fair 16289 F. M. M. Lord Roberts' Memorial Homes.

Passenwers \$18. "tin smirt" jer J Ladles' Emergency Committee of

Navy Lazue. Part Trainger foRs cital given by M-238.10 11 Brian | 11 - At Gam run end Hon-e 2:0.50 \$ 16 921.24 Alrendy ack nowledge.

> Amounts te mitted etc. 835 350.29 N. J. STABB

Hon. Tie isprer. Hongkour, 18th April, 1018.

Strongth. enrolled on 13 4.18 and posted to H. K. D. C. at Belchers, and ing 141. The scores were:-No. 967 Sypner F. J. Peralta was R.E. and Sergt, Williams, H.K. enrolled on 15 4.18 and posted to D. O., at Lycemun. Company. No. 969 Pte. E. F. of all concerned. No. 7. Platoon. No 970 Sepper application at Captain W. L. F. Leon was enrolled on 17.4 18 Russell's Office. No. 930 Pe. J. R. Shaw, "D" Orders for Infantry Battalian Company, is permitted to resign, by Major H. A. Morgen. on leaving the Colony, to date from day of departure. No. 151 Parades, Thursday, 25th April. Spr. H. S Coelho, Engineer Cor., -8 30 p.m. N a. 1, 2, 3, and 4 Sharpe is permitted to resign, on leaving Platcons on Polo Ground. Hongthe Colony, dated 20th February, kong residents will parade at the Middleton

leave, from 30 418 2n. Corpl. pany Drill. Dreen, Drill order. E. C. Nereis, Eng. Coy., is granted 3 months' leave, from 1.5.18. Monday, 22cd April ... 5 10 Middleton, not out from 23 d April, 1918 Pie. D.A. Wednesday, 24th April -540

date from day of departure.

Purvee, "B" Coy., is granted p.m. Dill at Headquarters, Nos. extension of leave till, 8 0.18 4 and 5 Gans only-Gr. F.G Herridge, Arty. Coy, is Thur-day. 25th April.-540 Cripwell granted 2 months' leave from p.m. D'ill at Headquarters. The 6.5.18. Pte. G. Harper, M.G. following men only need attend:-Coy., is granted 30 days leave Ptes Field, Irvine, L. brum, A.C. from 14.6 18. Pte. A.G. Gubbay, D. Logan, C. R. Logan, McKerne, Coy., is granted 6 Pinguet and Stapleton. leave from 26418. Pte. J. T. Dongles, "D" Coy., is wranted 12 months leave, from

Attached.

**22.5 18.** 

Gun Company) from 18th April, **1918**. Reversion.

Blair reverts to the ranks at his fatigue. own request.

Transfer.

Section, is transferred to "D" Company, dated 18th April, 1918. Care of Arms."

At the weekly parade of Infantry Companies the bores of rifles must be free from oil. Lecture.

At Headquarters on Friday, 28th April, at 6 p.m. Sulject, Military Engineering.

Parades. Orders for Artillery Company. by Captain W. Armstong V. D. Monday, 22nd April.-5.15 p.m. Left Half Company. new D. B. F. Class only.

Tuesday, 23rd April.-730 a.m. Right Half Company. Full drill. 515 p.m. Left Half Com- Drill, 5.30 p.m. Band practice at pany. Full drill with the excep. Headquarters. tion of new D. R. F. and new Layers' classes.

Thursday, 25th April.-730 "s.m. Right Half Company. Layers' Class only.

Friday, 26th April. - 7.30 a.m. Right Half Company. Layers' to discuss arrangements for a Class only. 5.15 p.m. Left Half Rifls Meeting. Company, new Layers' class

have passed the D.R. F. Etaming. tion held by the IG.

Right Balf Company.-Bom. Riuse, I Boms, Douglas, Carroll and Railton and Gare, Redmond, Purver, Fletcher, Sone, Brewer and Roga.

"Left Half Company. - Sargt. Frith and Gara. Boulton, Bateman, Hidden, Wilson, Cormack and Rapley.

Engireer Company. Order for Ergineer Comrany. to 26th April, states:-

19th to 26 h April:-

Instruction for N.U.O. and men of the Infantry Bat. a ion attached for duty.

Class 1 at Belobers at 8.30 p.m. on Mandays and Thursdays. · Class 2 at Belchers at 8.30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Fridays.

on Tuesdays and Fridays, Cricket Shield, the R. E. easily under Staff. Sergts. Oven defested their opponents on the dene and Parsons, B. E. Corpl. 18th inst. at Happy Valley, their No. 968 Pre. H. M. Webb was Day and 2nd Corpl. Norris, third wicket partnership produc-A" Company, No. 2 Platoon. Staff Sergte. Barclay and White,

Engineer Company. No. 968 Detail of duties at Lycemun Sepper M. M. Murray was enrolled from 17th to 30th April, is posted the 15.4 18 and posted to Engineer at Headquarters for information Pascall, not out

Reid was enrolled on 16.4.18 | Pay and Travelling expenses and posted to "B" Company for Metch may be obtained on

"A" COMPANY.

1918. No. 734 Pre. T. A Lough Cricket Club at 5.10 p.m. and Mann... lin, M. G. Coy., is permised to preced by tram to Causeway Bay. Perkins resign, on leaving the Colony, to Company Drill. Dress, Drill order.

Thursday, 25th April.-530 Lient. H. R. B. Hancock, "A" p.m. Nov. 5 6, 7 and 8 Platoons Coy, is granted leave for the on Polo Ground. Hongkong reduration of the War, from 5. 5. Bidente will parade at Cricket 18. 2nd Lieut. T H. Matthewman, Club at 5 10 p.m. and proceed Eng. Coy is granted one year's by tram to Osneeway B.y. Com-MACHINE GUN COMPANY.

Gr. K. M Fetterly, Arty. Coy., is p.m. Deill at Kowloop Dock, Nos. Sharpe, c Clarke, b Cripwell granted leave for the duration of 1 and 2 Gans only, Hongkong Hawley, b Cripwell, ... the War deted 8 h May, 1918. residents proceed by launch from Pte. H. M. Pinguet, M. G. Coy., Q veen's Statue Pier at 4 30 p.m. granted leave for the Tuesday, 23 d April.-7.10 duration of the War a.m. No. 3 Gnn at Headquarters

MOUNTED SECTION. Monday. 22nd April -5.30 n.m. At Jockey Club Stables.

Dress, Drill order. Thursday, 25th April.-5.30

EIGNALLING SECTION. Wednesday, 24th and Friday, and Sunday. 26th April. - 5.30 p.m. Parade at Company Sergt. Major, D. K. Headquarters. Dress, Clean

> STRETCHER BEARER SECTION. Wednesday, 24th April.-5.15

Pte. D. K. Blair, Signalling p.m. Parade at Headquarters. Recruits.

Monday, 22nd and Friday, 26:h April.-5.15 p.m. All anits except "D" Company on Marray Parade Ground, under Sirgte. Edmonds and Meade, Dress, Brill at : 0 a.m. to Lai Chi Kok (for order."

Cadet Company. Orders for Cadet Company by

2nd/Lieus. J. E. W. Beard. Parades. Monday, 22ad. April. -5 15 p.m. Nos. 1 and 2 sections at Headquarters, Equad Dill, 5.30 p.m. Band Practice at Headquarters,

Wennesday, 24th April-5.15 p.m. Nor. 3 and 4 Sections at Yaumsti Football Ground, Squad

A meeting of the Shooting Committees of all units will be held at Headquarters on Wednesday, 24th April, at 5.30 p.m.

The following N C.C. and men No Permit for Blasting Powder.

A Chinese pleaded guilty before Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Police Note;—Owners are requested Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Court this morning, to having to be particularly careful regard- Ltd., Kowloon, and stored at in his possession 26 pounds of ing-the recall numbers alloted, consignee's risk. blasting powder without a netspeciality of the starter appointed. ed goods are to be left in the was for his quarry at Kowloon City, and he did not know that it To Bathers,
was necessary to have a permit. A fine of \$50 was imposed.

Dr. Cearmer.

by Captain, W. Rispell from 19th prosching visit is being looked the Cinb for the Summer season downs, and all goods remaining forward to, besides being the this year. Particulars - not undelivered after April 24th/18 antho of many religious works, membership have been issued it; will be subject to rent E L. Mioning. Nightly, has also written on social ques I the Loting Hon, Secretary, Mr. Parades us per maters posted at tone. His pamphlets "Socialism D. Blair, and the subscription for Haar quarters. Engine drivers at and Obristianity," "The Reform the whole sesson has been fixed 6.30 p.m. Electricians at 6.45 p.m. of the Poor Law, and others, at \$12. A special pier is sgain counter signature. Officers next for duty. Belchers, have run into several editions, being erected, and the opportun-Lieut. Hall, Ly emun, Capt, while during the war he has ity presented is quite an attractive Hongkong, 19th April, 1918, Marley. 1915," and Patriotism, 1915,"

#### CRICKET.

R. E. v. 83rd Co. R.G.A.

Class 3 at Lycemun at 6.30 p.m. In the semi-final for the S. C.

Megregor, c Halls, b Parkins Reakes, b Attwood ... Adams, b Athorns ... Waller, b Perkins Gordon, not out

Innings declared Osborne, Millard, Oripwell, Olarke, and Heath did not bat. Bowling.

Green, 1.b.w., b Oripwell Parkine, b Reakes ... Dix, b Reskes

Mann, b Reakes Page, b Oripwell Halls, b Cripwell

Gunner G. Nelson, I D.F., is p.m. At Jockey Club Stables. Cruisers are reminded of the be healthy it is just as important attached to the Corps (Machine Dress, Drill order without riffes. conditions of the race laid down for the "Niobe Cup" to-morrow

Coaditions.

from C. Y. O. starting line to line will be definedaby the Committee motor launch (flying white flag) and a red flag ashore. Distance 9 Miles.—Yechte must pass the Committee launch on

Race Back: Sonday morning Tiffio) parsing between Coung Hue and Stonecutters. Distance: 7 Miles.

Yncht,	H'cap por mile.
La Cigale	Scratch
Aileen	10 eecs
Vesper	1 00
Norseman	1 45
Westwind	150
Feathers	1.50
Brynhilde	1.10
Vers	1 50
Evadne	200
Mist -	2 00
B enda	200
Irene	200
Erhel	2.30
Queen Bee	2.30

intention to invite nor-members No claims will be admitted Dr. Percy Dearmer, whose ap- to become bothing members of after the goods have left the Go-

FARM

SPILLS.

Remember the soldiers who are fighting

for you at the Front and buy Spills to-day

83rd Co. R.G A. Athorne, i.b.w., b Oripwell ... Attnood, o Millard, b Crip-

Bowling.

Owners of English Rigged but what about your inside? To

Start on Saturday at 3 p.m. Discovery Bay, where a finishing

their port bow:

In the afternoon, at an hour to be notified at the anchorage, back to the C. Y.C. Dietance 4 Miles. Handicaps.

Yacht,	H'cap per mile.	W Handway
La Cigale	Scratch	2
Aileen	10 eecs	2
Vesper	100	* · 3
Norseman	1 45	
Westwind	150	. <sub>"</sub> 3
Feathers	1.50	
Brynhilde	1.10	. 2
Vers ,	1 50	1
Evadne	200	<u>.</u> 3
Mist	2 00	" 2
B enda	200	1 2
Irene	200	· ·
Erhel	<b>2.3</b> 0 ° ′	3
Queen Bee	<b>2</b> .30	<b>'</b> 3
Note:-O	vners ste requ	este

# SAUSAGES. SAUSACES.

YACHTING.

R. H. Y. C. and C. Y. C.

to cleanse the system of imparities as it is to keep the body clean.

YOU CLEAN OUTSIDE

A TOMBOLA DAZZLER.

(With Apologies to the SL"

Andrew's Society.)

There was a young man of

Who passed the French Store

Kowloop.

about ncon;

And the sight of the prizes-

So de zzled his eyeses

the 'Toon.'

gently stimulate the bowels, thus dispelling bilioneness, liveri hness, sick heads chee and the other ille of Constinution. Of chemists, also post free 60 cents the vial from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., 26 Szechuen Rosil, Shanghai.

> TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.

ANTED.-FURNISHED ROOMS or FLAT for two bachelors, higher levels pre- Godowns. ferred. Apply Box 1386 c/o Hougkong Telegraph."

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship "HAROLD DOLLAR."

The above mentioned vessel having arrived from Vanccuver, Consignees of cargo are hereby filed after the 2nd May, 1918. notified that their cargo is being landed at their risk into the haz ardous and/or extra-bazardous 6 godowns of the Honekong & d Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co.

amined on April 22nd, at 10 a.m. All claims must be presented within a month of the steamer's The Royal Hongkong Yacht arrival here, after which they

Glub has sgain snnounced its cannot be recognized, No Fire Insurance whatever

will be effected. Consignees are requested to send in their bills of lading for THE ROBERT DOLLAR COY.

to help them.

LIVER SAUSACES.

BLACK PUDDING.

BOLOGNE, HEAD CHEESE.

ST. CEORGE'S NICHT

TO-DAY'S

ADVERTISEMENTS.

DINE IN THE GRILL FOOM OF THE

HONGKONG HOTEL **7.30** РМ.

Special Memo \$3.50 Per Head. That he bought all the Spille in Through the generosity of the

Hotel Directorate the entire proceeds of the Dinner will be given to the St. George's Day. Fund for. WAR CHARITIES,

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

"SHINYO MARU."

From SAN FRANCISCO VIA HONOLULU, JAPAN PORTS, AND MANILA.

The above named steamer having arrived, consigness of cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature, and to take immediate delivery from along-

Cargo remaining undelivered on 20th April, 1918, at 5 P.M., will be landed at consignees' risk and expense, and delivery must then be taken from the Company's

Storage charges will be assessed on all cargo remaining undelivered on 24th April, 1918, at

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

No Claim will be recognised after the goods have left the Steamer or Godowns. All chafed and damaged cargo will be landed into the Company's Godowns, where it will be examined on 26th April, 1918, at

No Claim will be recognised if T. DAIGO."

Hongkong, 6th April, 1918.

Manager. "

ORGAN RECITAL

MR. E. J. CHAPMAN

MONDAY 22nd inst., at 6 p.m. Yocalist:

MRS. A. G. GORDON. UNION CHURCH Kennedy Road.

Collection in aid of Organ: Fund "在我们没有对社会的需要在所有。" · 通行的证法



The close tucked fronts have a very smart appearance and being without starch make the most comfortable shirt for Dinner or

# Theatre wear. Stocked in all sizes by

a CO. LTD MEN'S WEAR SPECIALISTS. IS, DES VŒUX ROAD.



# Glyms Hand made Halls

Old English make NEW STRAWS

light in weight" and fitted with the famous BON-TON fitting The acme of comfort

SUN HELMETS in many smart styles, perfect fitting.

INSPECTION INVITED.



NEW COLUMBIA DANCE

RECORDS

BARN-DANCE,

FOX-TROT. GIRLS, IF YOU EVER GET MARRIED WALTZ. GARDEN OF DREAMS...

THE CENTURY GIRL ... 16. DES VŒUX ROAD.

AMARYLLIS

#### ARRIVED. JUST

Fresh Consignment

SOLE ACENTS:

CANDE, PRICE & CO., LTD.

TEL. NO. 135. Wine Merchants. Hongkong

# P.&O.S.N.Co. NIPPONYUSEN KAISHA.

ROYAL MAIL SERVICE.

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS

CONDON & BOMBAY, VIA SINGAPORE, PENANG. COLOMBO, PORT SAID & MARSEILLES.

SHANGHAI, MOJI AND KOBE.

LONDON VIA SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, PORT SAID & MARSEILLES.

SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

LONDON & BOMBAY VIA SINGAPORE, PENANC, COLOMBO, PORT SAID & MARSEILLES.

WIRELESS ON ALL STEAMERS." Return tickets at a fareand-a-half available to Europe for two years, or Intermediate Ports for six months. Round-the-world and through tickets to New York at Special Rates.

HAND-BOOKS. For PASSAGE RATES. FREIGHTS, DATES OF SAILING, ETC., apply to :-

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s office Hongkong, 1st April, 1917.

E. V. D. Parr. Superintendent.

# SUMMER VACATION TRIPS

# BRITISHCOLUMBIA

CANADIAN ROCKIES

AN IDEAL" CLIMATE AND THE GRANDEST SCENERY IN THE

Golfing-Automobiling-Boating-Fishing-Shooting-Mountain Climbing-and Bathing-all within short Distance of Comfortable Hotels and Private Homes

- REGULAR SAILINGS TO VANCOUVER ON OR ABOUT-Empress of Russia May 9th | Empress of Japan July 17th

Empress of Japan May 22nd Empress of Asia Aug. 1st Monteagle

Empress of Russia Aug. 29th Empress of Asia June 6th Monteagle

mpress of Russia July 4th Empress of Japan Sept. 11th

## CCEAN SERVICES



For particulars regarding passage, fares, sail-ings and reservation of accommodation, also imperaties of trips and descriptive literature P. D. BUTHERLAND,

Phone. 752.

TRANS PACIFIC

For freight rates through bills of lading via fancouver in connecton with Canadian Pacific Raffway to all Overland Prints in Canada and Inited States also to Europe and West Indice Pody 63 J. H. WALLACE

GENERAL AGENT, PASSENGER DEPARTMENT.

Phone 42. GENERAL AGENT. HONOKONG.

APCAR LINE.

Regular Service Between SHANGHAI and JAPAN PORTS.

EASTWARD.

The above steamers have excellent saloon accommodation for passengers and are fitted with all modern conveniences and carry a duly qualified surgeon.

For freight or passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON & CO., LTD.,

Hongkong, Sept. 24, 1917.

Agents.

# U. S. MAIL LINE.

Operating the new First Class Steamers "ECUADOR," "VENEZUELA" and "COLOMBIA." 14,000 tons Each. Hongkong to San Francisco, "

Tis Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and HONOLULU. THE SUNSHINE BELT. Comfortable Route, to America and Europe,

Sailings from Hongkong at noon.

"VENEZUELA" Apr. 24th. "ECUADOR" May. 22nd.

S.S. COLOMBIA June, 19th, These steamers have the most modern equipment including overhead electric fans and electric lighting ALL LOWER BERTHS & Large Comfortable Staterooms (all single and two berths only).

The Helety and Comfort of Passengers is our First Consideration. Special are is given to the onisine, and the attendance on passengers cannot be surpassed. Tickets are interchangeable, with the Toyo Kisen Kaisha and the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd. For further information, rates, literature, schedules etc.,

Company's Office in Apply to :-ALEXANDRA BUILDING. Telephone No. 141. Obster Road

Steamer & Displacement. Sailing Dates. \*Kaga Maru T. 12,500. SHANGHAI, KOBE \*Hirano Maru

SHIPPING

(JAPAN MAIL S.S. CO.)

Sallings from Hongkong subject to altered in.

& YOKOHAMA ...... T. 16.000 Aki Maru T. 12,500 nagasaki, kobe & YOKOHAMA..... [ \*Tango Maru T, 13 500

Apr., at 11 am. 18AT., 18th, §Bombay Maru SHANGHAI, MOJI T. 8,000 👡 §Ceylon Maru

LONDON OR LIVERPOOL VIA SINGA-PORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, DELACOA BAY & CAPE TOWN. MELBOURNE VIA MANILA ZAMBOANACA BRISBANE, 4 SYDNEY.... ..... NEW YORK VIA SHANGHAL KOBE, TOKO-BOMBAY YIA SINGAPORE MALACCA 4 CALCUTTA VIA SINCAPORE, PENANG A

For date of sailing apply at the Company's Office.

(WED., 24th

Apr. at 11 a.m.

May, at 11 a.m.

May at 11 am.

THURS. 9th

[SUN., 21st"

IFRIDAY,

26th Apr.

IMONDAY,

29th, Apr.

1 Omitting Shanghal & or Moji.

HONGKONG-VICTORIA B.C.-SEATTLE VIA MANILA SHANGHAL.

Operated by the magnificient and splendidly equipped passenger steamers "Fushimi Mare," "Sawa Mare," "Kashima Mare," A "Kalori Mare," each of over 21,000 tons displacement. Next sallings from Hongkong.;

🛨 🕶 Suwa Maru 2 Omitting Marila Eastbound. WED, 15th May, at 11 a.m.

For further information apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA B. MORI, Manager.

Telephone Nos. 292 & 293...

SAN FRANCISCO LINE VIA SHANGHAI, THE INLAND SEA, JAPAN & HONOLULU. PAST AND LUXUBIOUS MAIL STRAWERS.

Sellings from Hongkong-Subject to change without notice. Leave Hongkong. Steamers. 27th April. URAM OYKIHZ. Mth May. KOREA MARU 8th June. SIBERIA MARU TENYO MARU SOUTH AMERICAN LINE.

HONGKONG TO VALPARAISO VIA JAPAN, HONOLULU, SAN FRANCISCO. SAN PEDRO, SALINO CHUZ, BALBOA, CALLAO, ARICA AND IQUIQUE

THENCE BY TRANS ANDEAN ROUTE TO BUENOS AIRES. Leave Hongkong. Steamers. Middle of May. EIPPON MARU Early July. KIYO MARU Early September. ARYO MARU

Mickels are interchangeable with the Canadian Pacific Ocean Carvious, Led., and the Pacific Steamship Co. Passengers may travel by rail between ports of call in Japan free of shargs. For full information as to raise, sailings, ste., apply to

Telephone Nos. 2374 & 2375,

T. DAIGO, Manager, KING'S BUILDINGS.

## JAVA PACIFIC LINE JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN.

Monthly Service between

MANILA: HONGKUNA AND BAN FRANCISCO. Next sailings for SAN FRANCISCO via NAGASAKI. Subject to change without Notice. Sailing from Hongkong to San Francisco.

ALL STEAMERS FITTED WITH WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY. The steamers have accommodation for a limited number of saloon passengers and carry a duly qualified surgeon: Cargo taken on through Bills of Lading to all-Overland Points

In the United States of America and Canada. For particulars of Freight and Passage, apply to: JAYA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN. Managing Agents. Hongkong, York Buildings."

FREIGHT AND PASSENGERS.

GHINA

WILL SAIL FROM HONGKONG FOR

VIA SHANGHAL NAGABAKL YOKOHAMA & HONOLULU

JUNE 21 & AUGUST 31, 1918. AN UNSURPASSED HIGH OLASS PASSENGER

SERVICE AT INTERMEDIATE RATES.

O. H. RITTER, Freight and Passenger Agent. Prince's Buildings, Ice House Street. Tel. 1934.



## Owners of The "SHIRE" Line of Steamers. FOR SAILINGS TO AND FROM THE UNITED

KINGDOM AND INTERMEDIATE PORTS.

Please Apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LD. Telephone No. 215, Sub. Ez. Bo. 10. Agenta.

# C. N.C.

CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

BAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Steamers. SHANGHAI ......Yingchow .....21st Apr. at d'light. SWATOW & SINGAPURE... Hupch :: ...... 21st Apr. at noon. SHANGHAI ......Kaifong .....2lst Apr. at, noon. NEWCHWANG ...... Hwah Kuci .....22nd Apr. at noon. SHANGHAI .....Sulyang ......23rd Apr. at 3 p m. SHANGHAI.....Sinkiang ..... 25th Apr. at 3 p.m.

SHANCHAI LINE .- PASSENGERS, MAILS AND CARGO. Excellent Saloon accommodation Amidships; Electric Light and Fans in Salcon and State rooms. Regular schedule service between Canton, Hongkong and Shanghai, taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Yangteze and Northern China Ports, Passengers are Landed in Shanghai, avoiding the inconvenience of transhipment at Woosung.

For Freight or Passage apply to.

#### BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Telephone No. 36. Hongkong April 19, 1918. Agents.

JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN.

Regular Fortnightly Service between CHINA and JAPAN.

Of ADDES

"The steamers are all fitted throughout with electric light and have accommodation for a limited number of ealcon-passengers. All steamers carry a duly qualified surgeon. Cargo taken at through rates to all ports in Netherlands-India and Australia." For particulars of Freight and Passage, apply to the

Telephone No. 1574.

JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN York Building.

# DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP

HONGKONG & SOUTH CHINA COAST PORT SERVICE.

Regular Service of Fast, High Class" Coast Steamers having good accommodation for first Class Passengers, Electric Light and Fans in state-rooms and Saloon and Excellent Ouisine. FOR SWATON, AMOY AND FOOCHOW AND RETURN.

(Occupying 9 to 10 days.) Captain Steamships. Haitan ... A.E. Hodgins ... FRI., 19th Apr., at noon. Haihong... J. W. Evans ... FRI, 26th Apr., at noon.

FOR SWATOW. Arrivals and Departures from the Company's Wharf (near Blake Pier).

For Freight and Passage, apply to

Douglas Lapraik & Co., General Managers.

## INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO..

(Projected Sailings from Hongkong.—Subject to Alteration),

Steamship FIENTSIN .....Chipshing' Tues., 23rd Apr. at d'light. SHANGHAI ...... Wingsang Tues., 23rd Apr. at d'light. SHANGHAI .....Taisang Wed: 24th Apr. at d'light. HAIPHUNG .....Loksang\_ Wed., 24th Apr. st 7 a.m. MANILA.....Yuensang Fri., 26th Apr. at 3 p.m. CALCUTTA LINE;-Three sailings per month from Hongkong to Calcutta calling at Singapore and

Returning from Calcutta steamers proceed to Kobe and Moil; frequently calling at Shanghals These steamers have excellent passenger accommodation, are fitted with Biectric Light and carry a fully qualified Surgeon. This line is remporarily disorgained owing to the war, Particulars on applications,

SHANGHAI LINE; Sailings approximately every five days between Canton and Shanghai, sometime calling at swillow. Steamers on this line have a limited amount of passenger accommodation, and through tickets can be obtained for Northern and Yangtare Ports via phanghat.

Through Bills of lading are usued to all Northern and Yangtare Ports.

MANILA LINE:-A weekly service is maintained with Manila by vessels with good passenger accomodation, sailings from both ports every Friday. HAIPHONG LINE: Sailings approximately week'y for passengers and cargo, calling at Pollow when inducement offers. SORNEO LINE: -One stiling per month between Hongkong and Sandakan by a steamer having ap-to

date accommodation for passen pars. Cargo taken on through Bills of lading for Endat, Jesselton. Labour, Tawao and Labad Date. TIENTSIN LIME:-A regular service is run from March to October between nonktong and Tientala

#### Under Straits Government Passport Regulations.

All European Passengers, leaving the Colony for Straits Settle ment, are required to produce on arrival at destination passports with their Photographs and description affixed thereto.

For Freight or passage, apply to

JARDINE: MATHESON & CO., LTD. Telephone No. 215. General Managers.

Branches and Agencies in all parts of the Commercial World. BANKERS.

FORWARDERS. TOURIST AGENTS.

AMERICAN EXPRESS TRAVELLERS CHEQUESthe best form is which to carry traval trade

1962年中国在1964年中的发展中国的特殊的一种中国的1964年中国的1964年中国的1964年中国的1964年中国的1964年中国1964年中国1964年中国1964年中国1964年中国1964年中国1964年中国19

#### Missing Russian Steamer.

The Russian steamer Seawell. 350 tens, of Viadivostok, has not been heard of since she left Vladivistok for Nagasaki with 2000 koku of salted salmon on February 182 SAn foe breaker was despatched from Viadivostok as it was thought that she might be caught in the ira but no trace of the vessel was found."

Canadian Steamers for France.

The Canadian West Coast Navigation Company has disposed of nine of its twelve auxiliary schooners to the French Government. They are all British Columbia built vessels The Company has made a profit of over a million dollars on the deal. and it is considered likely that other vessels will now be built.

#### 0.5.K. Genoa Service.

As already reported, says the Japan Chronicle the Osaka Shosen Kaisha has opened a service to Marseilles, the first steamer, the Luzui-maru being due to sail from Kobe on the 12th instant. The Company has also been contemplating inaugurating a service to Genoa, which scheme has now materialised. Since January last the Kuhara Company has been operating four steamers,—the Eidai-maru, Togom iru .Jintsu-maru, and Harimamarn, -- under contract with the Italian Government. It is reported that the Osaka Shosen Kaisha has now taken over these steamers and will maintain a monthly service between Bombay and Genea. Japan cargo for the Italian port is to be transhipped at Bombay.

### American Shipping Shortage.

Figures showing an acute shortage of shipping have been compiled by the executive board of the National Patriotic Societies as part of a campaign to win public support for an extensive programme of ship construction. According to these figures the present shortage is 7.435.894 tons gross -almost . 1,500 - vesse's of 5.000 gross tons each. It is declared that the totil tonusge usable by the United States and its allies to-day is 4,435,894 gross tons less than it was in the fall of 1914. These figures take account of tonnage built and subtrict the amount lost through submarine activities. It was estimated that to this shortagemust be added 3,000.000 tons as the minimum nec ssary for the United States to transport and maintain #1,500,000 men in the war zone. Estimates were that 2,000.00 tons will be the maximum of building to be expected from Great Britain in 1912 and revised prediction are that the United States may not exceed 3.000.000 tons this year. This gives a probable additional tonname of 5 000,000. It was pointed out, however, that the destruction of vessels during the first year of unrestricted submarine warfare was between 6,0 0.000 and 7.000.000 tons. A plan under which shipbrilding labour assumes resp usibility for turning out 5.000,000 tons of wooden shipping during the coming year was submitted to President Wilson recently by Mr.John J. McGee, figmer Chairman of the skilled Labour Bureau of the Emergency Fleet Corporation. Mr. McGre stated that he speaks for the Brotherho d of Carpenters and Joiners and the American Federation of Labour. He said that if the President wil! put the programme into the hards of the workers them elves they will produce 75 .000 tons of a deadweight wooden shipping very sixty days after construction is under way The plan contemplates the building of many new yards and the taking over of those now, in ex stance. Difficulty in obtaining large-sized timbers in quantities is the chief cause for delay in the Shipping-Board's woodenship programme, according to Mr. Mc-Gee. He favors dr. pping the Ferris type and pr ducing 5 000-ton shirs of the Lonnelly.

Hawks or Hough design. Logging experts are being us d to assist in locating trees for the heavier lumber and help the mills find So thern pine timber, the Emergency leet C rporation announced last night. Several

months ago the Corporation in an effect to speed celiveries. increased the price it is paying for ship timber by more than a million dollars. Even this did pot cause ha desired speeding up. Recently the Corporation has arranged to get 3.00 come at he

timber from the Pacific Coast

NOTICES.

MITSUBISHI COSHI

(MITSUBISHI CO.)

COAL DEPARTMENT.

TAKASIMA, OONI, MUTABE, KISH. IDAKE, YOSHINOTARI, HOJO, MAMA-ZUTA, SAYO, KAMADA, SHIRKEW,

KAMIYAMADA, BIBAI and OYUBAR:

Collieries.

Agents for SAKITO QUAL.

HEAD OFFICE:

MARUNOUCHI, TOKYO:

Codes: Al, A.B.C. 5th Ed. West-

ern Union, and Bentley's.

AGENCIES:-

For Particulars, apply to-

Hengroug, No. 2: Padder Street.

PUBLIC WORKS

DEPARTMENT.

MAÇAO.

Notification.

IT is hereby notified that during

the date of publication of this

notification in the "" Boletin

Oficial," tenders for "Etudy of

Water Supply" in this Colony

will be received. The tenders

addressed to the Council of

Administration of Public Works

must be received in this Depart-

ment within the above specified

The conditions of the work are

open for inspection in the

Portuguese Consulate on all week

Public Works Department,

The Engineer Director,

"Por the Blood is the Life."

Ce al Charles and

Macao, 5th. April, 1918.

Faria e Maia.

Clarke's

Blood

Mixture

wo months, counting from

S. KAWATE.

Manager,

"KWAISHA.

. SOLE PROPRIETORS OF

## WELLS FARGO & CO. EXPRESS.

FORWARDERS TO ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO THE SHIPPINO OF TOURISTS' BACCACE AND PUR. CHASES. TRAVELLERS' CHEQUES CASHED.

B. MONTEITH WEBB & CO., Representatives.

1s, Chater Road.

Phone No. 1500.

## KONINKLYKE PAKETVAART MAATSCHAPPY.

CROYAL PACKET RAVISATION CO.

Monthly Services :-HONGKONG, SWATOW & BELAWAN DELI (MEDAN).
S.S. 'S JACOB' will leave on or about March. HONGKONG, AMOY, SWATOW & SINGAPORE. S.S. "van WAERWYCK"

will leave on or about

For freight and passage apply to:-York Building. Tel. 1574. Honekong, 1st Mar., 1918.

JAVA-CHINA-JAPAY LIJA. Agents.

## "ELLERMAN" LINE.

(ELLERMAN & BUCKNALL STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.)

JAPAN, CHINA & STRAITS

UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENT.

For particulars of sailings shippers are requested to approach the undersigned.

Steamers proceed via Cape of Good Hope. Subject to change without notice.

> THE BANK LINE, LTD., General Agents,

or to REISS & Co. Canton Hongkong, Jan. 2, 1917.

TIM BINGAPORE, HONGKONG, JAPAN and HONOLULU

fortnightly joint-service of the "MEDERLAND" and "ROTTERDAM LLOYD" Royal Mail Lines.

Next departurés from MONOKORO:

Bailings

These superior passenger-steamers have excellent accommodation for first and second class saloon passengers.-

For further particulars apply to: ".

JAYA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN Agents.

TELEPHONE 1574-1575-1576.

## THOS. COOK & SON.

duriet, Steamship and Forwarding Agents, Bankers, etc.

OFFICIAL PASSENGER AGENTS TO THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT.

FIGURETS SUPPLIED to ALL PARTS of the WORLD of Tarif Rates

LETTERS of CREDIT and CIRCULAR NOTES ISSUED and MASHED

BAGGAGE collected, forward at and insured at lowest rules. Cooks "YAR EASTERN TRAVELLERS GAZETTE commining Sailings and Fares from the Far Last to all pasts

of the World, will be forwarded free on application. Mariente acce : "0007002." THES, COOK & DOLL

HORSKOMS HOTEL BUILDINGS. HONOKOMS. SHANGHAL PEKING, YORGEANA, MARILA. Chief Office-LUDGATE GIRCUS, LONDON, LO.

#### UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS.

The Great Northern Telegraph Company, Ltd.

Blanc, Hongkong Hotel, (3), from Shanghai. Tenngshing, c/o Chingshing, Venyenkai, from Shanghai.

Takchongching, from Shang-Chow Villa, 26, Elgin Street,

from Shaughai. Yokngan, (2), from Kobe. Chanlelyang, c/o Hotel China, Wunchunfat, . c/o Yingwah,

Tuckpoodso, from Kwongwingloong, from Shang-

orngan, from Yokohama. Z. KRING, Act. Beperintendent

#### Eastern Extension, Australesia & China Telegraph Co.

Abdookarum Abdoolsatar, from Burgess J. W. (Hongkong Zone), from War Office.

Emilotte, (2), from San Francisco, and a standard teacher and the Gardiner, Hongkong Hotel, from Singapore. - Gourock, Bopework Export Co.

from Calcutta. Gourdean, Hongkong Hotel from Sydney.

High clo Richards, from Calcutta.

Wahr Mistress, Steamer New-Amsterdam, from Lebong Societ. from Seattle.

Superintendent Hongkong, Apr. 8, 1918.

## VESSELS LOADING AND TO LOAD. CONSIGNERS

		Service State of	
Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama	Aki M.	N. Y. K.	121. Apr.
Shanghai, Swatow, and Singapore	Yingchow Hubeh	B. & S. B. & S.	21. Apr.
Newchwang Tientsin	Chipshing	J. M. Co.	22. Apr.
Shanghai Shanghai	Wingsang Suivalg	J. M. Co. B. & S.	23, Apr.
Shanghai, Kobe and Yokobama Shanghai Haiphong	Taisang Loksang	J. M. Cu. J. M. Co.	24, Apr.
Shanghai Shanghai, Moji and Kobe	ingk and Bombay M	B. & S. N Y. K.	25, Apr. 26, Apr.
Manila Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Yuensang Haihong	•	26, Apr.
Shanghai, Moji and Kobe Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama	Ceylon M., Hirano M.	N. Y. K. N. Y. K.	29, Apr. 9, May
Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama	Tango M.	N. Y. K.	18, May

#### NOTICE,

THE HONGKONG ICE COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Hongkong Ice Company Limited will be held at the registered Office of the Company, Pedder Street, Victoria, Hongkong, on Monday the 6th day of May 1918, at 12 o'clock noon when the subjoined resolufions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 16th day of April 1918, will be submitted for Confirmation as special resolutions:

(1) That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of this Company with the Dairy Farm Company Limited and that with a view thereto this company be wound up voluntarily and that Mesars. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Limited be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up.

(2) That the conditional Agree-

ment submitted to the meeting for amalgamation of this Company with the Dairy Farm Company Limited upon the terms (inter alia) of the acquisition by that Company of the complete undertaking, business, goodwill and property of this Company in return for the issue to this Company of 52,000 shares of the Dairy Farm Company Limited of the nominal value of \$7.50 each credited as fully paid up (peing eight shares of \$7.50 each of that Company for each share of \$25 each of this Company) and of the issue by the Dairy Farm Company Limited to Messra. Jaroine, Matheson & Co. Limited, the General Man agers of this Company (upon their entering into restrictive covenants which have been agreed upon and by way of bonus as compensation for their loss of office as General Managers of this company) of 2,000 shares of the Dairy Farm Company Limited, of the nominal value of \$7.50 each credited as fully paid up be and the same is hereby approved and that Liquidators be and they are hereby authorised pursuant to Section 185 of the Companies Ordinance 1911 to adopt the said Agreement and carry the same into effect with such (if any) modification either before or after the execution thereof as the "said Liquidators may

think expedient. The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to 10th May 1918, both days inclusive.

Dated the 16th day of April, 1918. JARDINE, MATHESON. % & CU., LTD. →

General Managers

A marriage has been arranged Hollabaugh, from San Fran. Ibetween "Lady : Urichton" and Colonel Algernon Stanley, of the 1st Life Guards, brother of Lord Derby, Ledy Orichton was Lady Watson, c/o American Consult Mary Grosvenor, daughter of the liest Dake of Westminster, She J. K. GIBSON. . . was married in 1903 to Lord Orienton, son of Lord Erne, who

PACIFIC MAIL B.S. CO., LTD. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

> HONOLULU, JAPAN PORTS, SHANGHAI & MANILA.

The above mentioned vesser having arrived from the above Birbeck HJ
mentioned ports Consigness Barter H A
of manyourre hereby informed Browell W G that : their cargo is being landed at stheir risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazanious Godowns of the Hongkong ... & Kowloon Wharf & Bronw .. Scapt JR de Nesson Mr & Mrs W Godown Co., Ltd. and stored at Busche Dr HK J. P Consignees risk.

Consignees of Cargo are hereby Brown J & H. rnotified that they must produce Benitz Capt E an Import permit signed by the Byrne 3 2 Exports, Hongkong, before Bills Cameron B V of lading can be countersigned,

All broken; chafed and damaged goods are to be left in the Churtney JD Godowns, where they will examined on Saturday, April Davis Mrs F E 20th 1918, at 10 a.m.

All claims must be presented within a month of the steamer's Eman't Madam E . Sparks Mrs W H arrival here, after which they Frans H R cannot be recognized.

No claims will be admitted G imble Mr & Mrt Gar A. W van der after the goods have left the Grimble Miss D Grimble Miss D Undelivered after April 23rd Gray Mr & Mrs I 1918, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance whatever Hall Capt TP Thompson Mrs B will be effected.

Consignees are requested to Hoogenwerffe WE' akagiai send in their Bills of Lading for Hodgeon Mr & Mrs. Taylor H C. countersignature immediately. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP

COMPANY. J. ORAM SHEPPARD. Acting Agent. Hongkong, 16th., April, 1918.

#### WATER RETURN.

Reservoirs on April 1, 1918.

BRANCH · OFFICES :- NAGASARI	CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER
MOJI, KARATSU, WAKAMATSU.	WORKS LEVEL.
OTABU. MUBURAN. HAKODAYK	A CATAGON TITLE & TOTAL
KOBE OSAKA KURE TOKYO YOKO.	TOTY, Igzi.
HAMA, NAGOYA, TSURUGA, YLADI.	Tytam 59ft. gin. Below 50ft, 4in. Below overflow
VOSTOCK. HANKOW, PRKING	Tytam jalfte Cin. Below auft: 1in. Below
DAIREN, TAIPEH, LONDON, NEW	Byewash ( overflow overflow
YORK, BHANGHAL HONGKOAG,	Tytam Inter- , yott, gin, Below 60ft, sin, Below overflow
HAIPHONG, UANTON and	
BINGAPURE	Lythe Tale in construction overflow
The state of the s	Wong seis soft noin Below 10ft, oin. Below
the state of the s	Changement & Overflow
	Foktulum altt. gin, below 13ft. zin, Below overflow
Codes: Al. A.B.C. 5th Md. West-	
Codes: Al. A.B.C. 5th Md. West.	STORAGE IN MILLIONS AND

DECIMALS OF GALLONS,

CHINKIANG—Messes, Grar	Tytan Eyewash	10.
ING & CO. MANILA-MORRE	Wong nel-chang	.59=i
PORE-Messes Borner Co	Pokisiam 9.73  Cotsl. 260.77	
LTD, GLASGOW-Messes. A.R. BROWN, MOFARLANE & CO., LTD.	Commention of water in the City and I	
	of March.	

BROWN, MOFARLANE & CO., LID Consensption population ....

was given by public street fountains only during Moter N W de March, age, Comment supply in all districts during March 1913.

STORAGE IN MILLIONS AND DECIMALS OF GALLONS. Kowione Gra-

inter to et excelent pentity i

Bohanan CO. Mackean Dr G W May G H

Broking ale L A Nishigawa T

North C Caldarna L'A' Ritchie D Cole Pinnist Mrs Rage Vice P

Ca ton Mrs Rowe Miss Dye Clarkson Mr & Sewall Miss K. Boott J H

Gestreand

Rooper A Shelton Harper G

Hartkamp P Hamblin Cept Joseph E 🔟 🥆

Level and Storage of water in CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER

	M CATALOGUE TITLE # T	244
Total	soft. gin, Below	soft, 4in. Below
Tytes	affti 6in. Below	estt: 1in. Below
Tytam Inter-	vertion vott, gin. Below overflow	overflow foli. sin. Below overflow
Tytan Tak	TT- 1	asti. zin. Below
. chang	40fti loin. Below	joit. oin. Below
Folds was	alti. om Below overlow	13lt. zin. Below overflow
STORAG	E IN MILLIO	NS AND .

KOWLOON WATER WORKS LEVEL.

W. CHATHAM! Pablic Works Department.

Ricchelman F Ricchelman D

Saybt C E Stalker J

Thomsen P Hall Mr & Mrs R Tayler ! H

Hoyt T A Innes Capt of Mrs R van

Mrs 8 T

CARLTON HOTEL, Meyer H Moore Mrs N H Bennings J Meyer H Bloof G F Neushudo Paul Mr F Bekkering G E Branke J Aar Brewer N 35. & Mrs B N Broere.J 834 Carrure L.P. Hele C C Roseman TNV

Dobinson Mrs E Dorp YV Es L Van Fonan it P.P. Hange H van der Gvanwaard A. Highfield Mr & Mrs Hashoinfr G F Hoog A E de Heun P de

9-54 Hey CP ... 130 Jong J C de Konters H 4-94 Kerkloven G-N Keef G M LESUWER . Volve

Kowicca Gen- soft riz.

13.56 M. gailous

Biggar Mr & Mrs D Partington Mr Mrs T.B. Mrs J. Thursby Cappleman DE \_\_ Rolfe Capt P H Carleton ViceConsul Becase Mirs G A de Mrs A E . Bangur B Dunbar Mr & Mrs L scott Holman Elmmone P B State Bouse J W

## HOTEL LISTS.

HONGKONG HOTEL

Molouse C M Mardonald Major &

Plummer J L
Pottinger Capt E I
Pal e Mrs L
Rishwood M BB

Ruhmeyer Mrs M Rhenham Miss H Slade Mrs M Stinville A L

Templeton C P Thompson F G Thompson Mrs B E Weymouth Mr &

Wylis Mr & Mrs I Watson Mrs J Wagtendonk W J Wood Capt G' G Johansen J Williamson Mr &

LAT & H

Petroff Commander Rosser Mr & Mrs F Howlands Mrs W Raasvelt B J G Ronde O de Rieustra E V

Rigter J H Scelers J. Scholte H J Timmerman C Thom Wm Tanghorst V G Viofer A.F.

Keppenstrijdt O W Vhoenmen J Watkins H Mook H Wahler J C F Murral O Wife E Van der Muller W C P Wichels F Witonet Y W

KINGSOLERE HOTEL Burdin Mr & Mrs R Peluami Lt Cot &

Star Mr & Med J Films Miss D A seduc Bilbreath Mins O 🕆 Harrett & H BESOKROUSE Mrs A Enight Mr & Mrs P Singer Mr & Mrs E Logan Mr & Mrs W Tod Mr & Mrs Pete Marshall Mr & Mrs Turnoull Mr & Mrs Matheson Mr & Mrs Ventris Major tien

## PRAK HOTEL

Drifthoat P () Kindersley Mr. & Ventrie MajoreGen P Ventria Miss. Ward La Col John ONONE Wetton Mr & Mrs Geo. Weenig D

Yeardya-Miss

KING EDWARD HOTEL

Loask Mr & Mrs W. Young Cold R

Almond Mrs R Kilhan My L Kincald P B Legge Mrs B Modines Mr & Mrs Auger Dr & Mrs Bannerman G Budge W Bowern T McGes Mrs Cheng Mr & Mrs TS McTavish H M Culhane M a T B Moriey W Course Mr & Mrs Morton A Pammore Mrs W C Richardson Mr & Comming Mrs Grogory Mr & Mrs GE Goldring P.W. Bleigh E M Stubbings Mrs Guthrie Mrs Hammes Mr & Mrs Starkey Mr & Mrs Haywood G R .

Todt AL Underwood Mr & Tackson Mr & Mrs White Mr & Mrs Withy Mr & Mrs

GRAND HOTEL

Herney H D Bradey C Johanson E. MacDonald F Croawell H M Cruz Dr & Mrs. Oliver C L Cummine T J Puroly WT Purpoid G 1 Reilly F T Dannelly L ANT ON

The Demand For Copper.

The enormous requirements of copper since 1914, when the war started, have caused a stupendous growth in mining and reflering. The 1914 output of see United States was 1,780,000,000 pounds and the 1918 output 2,800,000,000 pounds, an increase of 1,020,008-909 pounds during the shree 

Brchanging Fertiliser for Iron. The export of superphosphate from Japan is probinited expept under licence. The Department of Agriculture and Commerce has recently given Dermission to the Mitenbishi firm to export 15,000 tonsof an perhosphate to Uspetown and Darban in return for 15,000 tons of sorap iron. The superphosphate is the output of the Osaka Alkali Company, the price being 275 per son a z tectory. The first instalment of the ponsignment, amounting to 5,000 tone, was shipped by the Fukniza-

meru from Osaks on March 30.

and the remainder is to be shipp-

ed in several instalments. On the

roturn voyage the steamers carry-

ing superphosphate will bring

scrap tron from South Airies.

# DOCK CO. ETD

White B P.

A.B.C. Fifth Edition; Engineering, First and Second Edition; Western Union and Wilking Dock Owners, Ship Bullders, Marine and Land Engineers, Boller Makers, Iron and Brass Founders, Forge Masters, Electricians.

ACETYLENE CUTTING AND WELDING FOR SHIP AND BOILER REPAIR Modern up-to-date plant operated by our own appointing

	THE DIMENSIONS OF DOOKS AND SLIPS ARE AS POLLOWS	
	Libroth Share State of State o	
L H	Mo. z. Data: Kowloss	B.K.
	Ho, s Dock, Kowloon	TIDE
FICH	Setant Big, Mo, p Lowloos	NA COLUMN

# TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: "MANIFESTO" HONGKONG.

workmen under expert European supervision. All classes of light Steel work manufactured by the above process.

Tanks. Drums. Ventilators. Pipes. &c. &c.

	THE DIMENSIONS OF DOORS AND SLIPS ARE AS FOLLOWS	2
	MANTS OF DOCK OR SLIF SECOND SHOPE STREET	Prond Prond
9 0 2	Mo. z Datk Kowlow	No.
	Ho, s Dock, Kowloon	, 8 , 1
	Consider Designation of the Constant of the Co	Tone
1981 <b>0</b> 1984	ABERDEEN STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE STATE OF	ğ: 7

Please Address Enquiries to the Chief Manager,

#### REUTERS TELEGRAMS.

(Continued from Page L)

AIR RAIDS OUTSIDE-WAR ZONE. ...

Enemy Suggestion for Their Cossation. London, April 18.

A message from Amsterdam wistes that in the Reichung, the Socialist Herr Geck, suggested the making of an agreement to cont all air raids outside the war some. The Government representative replied that their opponents had not jet requested a stoppege, but if they did it would be examined.

THE PALESTINE CAMPAIGN.

Renewed Enemy Activity

According to Reuter's correspondent at Unito enemy sotivity is reported slong the whole of the Palestine Front East of the Jordan the enemy attacking the bridge head at Choraniyh, was caught by our artillery and suffered heavily. Mounted troops pursued and took fifty-three prisoners. There are many deed on the ground. An attack north of Wadiraja was repulsed. The enemy repeatedly attacked between Bernkin and Rafat and in most stabborn fighting resched Berakin, He ces later driven out and the position restored.

The Turks Strength Increasing. London April 18.

Beuter's correspondent at Palestine Head quarters writing on April 12, says that as the Turks are being presend beck apon the main line south of Nablous and Tulkersin, on which the possession of northern Palestine depends, their remittates of man and gune is constantly strengthening. The enemy has been considerably reinforced from Mesopotamis and also with German troops. A per centage of the latter is being brigeded with the Turks for the stiffening of the enemy's artillery which is stronger than at any time during the present operations. He is spending administion freely. Corpentre lies in hilly country south-west of Mabions where the enemy had established a short line of shallow trembbes with sangas.

THE KING AND THE RED CROSS SOCIETY.

His Majesty's Thanks Through "The Times." London, April 18.

His Majesty the King has sent a letter to the Times expressing his great satisfaction that the fund of the Red Cross Society and the Order of St. John reached the immense total of ten millions sterling, congratulating the Times on the schievement. He further says: "I am especially proud of the noble generosity displayed by Britons overseas. I am informed of the magnificence with which the American Red Cross supported the British Red Cross. Never was the need for the continuance of the administrations of the Red Oross more urgent. I carnestly trust that the joint committee with the powerful help of the Times and the Press at Home and Overseas, will be enabled, until victory is won and the peace of the world assured, to maintain without abatement its sacred mission to the wounded, sick and prisoners whose welfare has our unfailing solicitude and our heartfelt sympathy.

BRITISH LABOUR AND THE WAR

"Utterly False" Statement Repudiated.

Louwer Ajail 18. The American Labour Delegation has been enterlained to unner in the House of Commons by the Parliamentary Committee of the Trade Union Congress. Mr. Arthur Henderson said it was tutterly false to suggest that British labour was aktions for peace at any price. They had sought to climiques the spirit of militarism not merely in Germany but throughout the world, hence it strongly dayoured a Lengue of the Peoples. L'as only difference between American and British Labour was one of method. The former conmidered the object in the was colly swarenis by a decisive military victory and the latter sought to reminere the operations of war by a wide and discriminating use of a moral political weepon. Bullah Tabout wished to make clear to the German workers Matthey mins shandon imperialistic dengin and world domination. Hence They writed the holding to an international Labour Conference under proper conditions to remove misundestandings, but this did not mean that British Labour was weakshing in the determination to score a just and lasting pesce,

BRITISH TRADE RETURNS.

Landon, April 18.

There is a decresse in exports amounting to £8,108,816 and an increase in imports of £20,089,090 as compared with Maron of last

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

CANADA AND MAN-POWER

Ottawa, April 17. Canada is taking drastic action to speedily raise reinforcements by cancelling all exemptions and calling up all single men from twenty to twenty-three inclusive. It has also been decided to rapidly review exemptions up to thirtyfour. Treatics are being negotiated to compel the service of Aliens resident in Canada.

GENERAL FOCH'S POWERS.

Lordon, April 17. In the House of Commons, Mr. Macpherson stated that General Foch had no power over the appointment or removel of any British officer.

TURKS TAKE BATUM.

London, April 17 A Turkish communique says: We occupied Batum after the forts were stormed or surrendered. The prisoners and booty have not yet been counted. The enemy losses were

EAST AFRICA CAMPAIGN.

London, April 17, An East Africa official message states: Since April 1. General Edwards's column from the coast and General. Norther's columns from Lake Nyas, despite it being the height of the rainy season have been converging against the Germans concentrated northward of the Liurio River. One of General Northey's columns on April 5 occupied Mahus, south-westward of Osalu. A detachment pushed eastward despite flooded rivers and inflicted severe losses on April 11 on the main German group which they encountered moving southwest from Mealu to Mahua. General Edward's troops after a night march seized Medoboma on April 12 after au all day battle, with severe German losses.

#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

IRISH HOMB RULE QUESTION.

Prime Minister's Speech.

Mr. Lloyd George continuing his speech in the House of Commons said: Procident Wilson's dominon was difficult but it was the only way in which America could render practical amistance in this battle ... The decision however, was full of difficulty for the Executive. In the discussioness America was entitled to expect from the Government of this country though she could not sak any Government to carry domestic legislation of any pertonian character... that the difficulties would be smoothed as far as possible. He was certain nething would be more halpful at present to sealife the full measure of American assistance than the determination of the British Parliament to tender to Ireland Cirish cries of "Why tender") Mr. Lloyd George continued "Honourable members are simply seeking quarrais where they are not intended. (Cheers). When a Parliament tendered it tendered in the form of an act. That is the only way in which Parliament could tender." He did not speak of Government tendering but of Parliament tendering. The best way in which American opinion could be assured that we are dealing fairly with Ireland was that the British Parliament should tender a measure of self-government to ireland as would satisfy reasonable American opinion. He believed we could do that. The Government had therefore come to the conclusion, after the Convention reported, that Irish solf-government was an essential war measure. It was impossible to face the difficulties of Ireland without a united country behind the Government Unity was mattainshie unless every section felt that justice was done not morely by compelling lrishmen to take their full eners of the war burdens, but by securing to them the principle of self-determination for which we are lighting in every tacatre (Loud Nationalist cheers). We entered the war for that principle. We have hever departed from it. He hoped we should be able to enforce it at the Peace Conterence. At the same time if the Irish members rejected the bill it would be their remonsibility.

Mr. Dovin interrupted.—"Now the cat is out of the bag." Mr. Lloyd George -The Government could not possibly have resistance to home Rule used as a means for defeating conscription. That was why each measure must be taken upon its morita.

As regards the situation at the front Mr. Lloyd George said there would be finetuations of hope and despondency. We should nave both for some time yet, but he was still full of confidence. (Cheers). "I have just seen a distinguished General from the front and he told me he saw the Generals who were lighting. That gallant old General Plumer, (Loud cneers) one of the doughtiest warriors of this country; he is facing great odds, he is quite confident. (Loud cheers), We have lost territory, but lost nothing vital. (Cheers). That is the view not merely of our Generals; it is the view of Generals Foch and Pinmer, who are equally calm and equally confident. General Foch was seen also this afternoon by a distinguished General who is now waiting for mo. General Foch is absolutely confident. (Cheers). The enemy are siming at destroying the British army. They feel that if they could only get this arm out of the way the path would be clear to victory. They have not yet got it out of way. (Cheers). They have indicted, I am sorry to say, heavy losses, but nothing to the losses they have sustained. The French army is intact, the American army is pouring across. There may be hope, there may be despondency, but if we stand together firmly, steadfastly, not giving way to tear and panic, prepared to give and take in all measuresif all parties in Britain and Ireland stand together Irishmen in Ireland fighting with Irishmen who are coming by the million across the flood to fight in brigades with British troops if we do that we will win through in the end. (Tremendons cheers).

There were no Nationalist members in the House of Commons to-day. Practically all are going to Ireland immedistely in order to participate in important conferences.

In the House of Lords, Lord Peel in moving the second reading of the Military Service Bill said that no undertaking could be given men over 45 that they would merely be employed for Home Defence, for it was believed that many such were able take their place in the fighting lines.

#### APPEAL TO SHIPYARD WORKERS.

London, April 17. The Press Bureau states that Lord Prince argently appeals to shipyard workers compleyers and all connected with ship-building to redouble the splendid efforts slready made, reminding them that they can take almost a direct part in countering the enemy offensive which has thrown a greatly increased burden on the Allies resources.

FORTHCOMING TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

GYMKHANA

Details of the Season's Second

We have received the pro gramme of this season's second of ospectators on the Gricket Gymkhana, which is due to be Ground last evening to watch the held at Happy Valley on Saturday amogress of the tennis tournames May II, racing to begin at 3.30. being beld under the anapioes, Seven events have been arranged, the Hougkong Orioket Olub. these being a five furlongs race, The best match of the afternoon the Gymkhana Stakes, two Olass was that between M. K. To and for weeks: As for Handicape "A" and "B", a Pokei P. Wong im the Champion-Victoria Oross Competition, and ship Singles, play being very two other Handicap events being seen and of quits high quality. the guns for three weeks, but I librarian of the Philippine is frequently quoted as allitary two mile poet once round and in by 7.5.7-5.4.6.6.2.

The other results of the after and all over the wagon line in a kip to Ckins and Japan.

Octuan as a fine military record. It is an old rife brigads many and allowers in a kip to Ckins and Japan.

Indicate the start of the start and allowers in the wagon line in a kip to Ckins and Japan.

Indicate the start of the start and allowers in the wagon line in a kip to Ckins and Japan.

Indicate the start of the start and allowers in the wagon line in a kip to Ckins and Japan.

Indicate the start of the start and allowers in the wagon line in a kip to Ckins and Japan. Victoria Cross Competition are pe noon more :follows :- Dummies representing Open Ohampionskin Hingles: wounded men will be placed on H. Hancock heat A. L. Bonet, the ground at a point indicated 6.1.6.1.60.

Competitors gallop up under fire, Yow Man Taun best M. Sagita over a low hurdle, lift dummies 62.62.62 02 to their saddles, and carry ... H. Parmishin best S. back to winning post. Open to Hamid, 6.3, 5.5, 8.0. members of the Jockey, Polo, Handicep Dombles - J and Gymkhana Olube, Naval and World and O. Thurns (esc. 15)
Military Officers, and members of beat lat. Col. Orisp and H. E.
the Mounted Troop. Entrance Marray, (owe 36), 6-3. 4-6, 6-2. Free. Prizes presented by the Mixed Hamitesp. Doubles.

Entries for all the events close Nieta Cont. O. C. Hongicong Class, once of Hall against F. L. Joseland (rec. 846).

Yesterday Evening's Results.

There mas quite a large prow

to the Hon. Secretary, Hongkong Stark, 6.3,411
Gymkhana Club on Wednesday, Hatolicap Singles Andrews May 1, and should be sent to the Theben (100, 200) whething

QUEEN HARY'S NEEDLE-WORK GUILD.

HONGKONG BRANCH

In Connection with the Was

The following latter has been

Prough to send in your letter of December 13th and she delighted to think that you have in addition, Vesse through his descript practical fallings; taken up the idea of working for hero-investor. Captain Name, purphasing the intent in sect

tions of your Committee upon tennial exposition. the honour that I have King. I feel that i is an bonour that must be shared by all the members of the Guild, who now I am proud to say number over 80 000.

(Bd). Annie Lawley. Hon. Sec.

That the work done by Guild is very much needed and appreciated, the following extracts from letters testify

"I am writing to thank you for the bale of comforts I have just a deadly weapon of defence received from you for distribution among my men. They are, have marine with it. been, or will be, (I may not say which) in the front line treaches, the sea with a supposition that and the things could not have come at a more opportune time.

into words my gratitude, because I could not adequately do so. People st home do and cannot be expected understand the hardships and discomforts our lade go through, all day and every day, week in and week out. As the weeks as on now, the westber will be gettingmore trying and the warm things will make a great differ-

I hope and beg that, if at any time you have any socks or shirts to send to anyone you will remember my boys: They will always be deeply grateful whatever you send them.

"I have much pleasure acknowledging receipt: of hales of comforts atout by coming se they did whilet Battalion are in the trembles. cannot may how very much they were appropriated, and out of all ranks please sociopites men

gratul thanks." TOOT: LEADT SAME STORY OF THE ISO mocks for any men which it have now been admired one their way and they will be wery welcome. We have been having coghish time, but have done very well and I fike to think that when we get out, whatever happens, they will at least have warm comioriable socks.

which many thanks. At moment this is mather an interno, Gordon will be the cocalist. consequently correspondence difficult." "The belouried about a week ago, and their there was respect

to the men at the guns after they had been standing knee deep mud and pouring tain all and were soured through, men were so awfally exateral them that they all went to dersotly shey had had their rum land they told me that that night whey what what wheir best sleen drivers I cannot say certain as I have not

sud the Queen Mary's Guild like in Desember last, and, who was Kitchenets (Horavas) also and in its response, that I make bold murder, the original charge day- seen years sgo where he were by appeal to you again." ing been withdrawn, appeared prosent the Order of Bt. Manne.
All again makers are remissed before Mr. J. B. Wood at the atid B. George, and then beyond that, owing to the increasing Police Court this afternoon, when two years as the military attent should not the made more than Oroma Solicitor, make applica, Hagoe sand of manuals

BEALITIES TO-DAY.

Thousand Leagues Under the N. C. Delle News It is und

interest the report you were kind exactly on the lines of the seb- | See heat; behalding is his dre marines that are causing so much | the Hebridge (as the lausous post bayon in the world to-day.

Mesopotamia with someoh spergy- invented the section light, years the group. It is now up to Law

He invented the storage battery received from His Majoriy The the mother years before destricity was ness as a motive power. His invented the first self containing diving spite that required no six The thought of Eighbad digety bours per life iine an invention that has been made practicable only within the past few years He invented the Arclant applier. He invented on underses gun that fired electrically charged by compressed air.

He harpessed static electricity a mere toy, and converted it into charging the shell of his sub-

He was the first man to terrorize sank merchant thing. He troused the ocean in a submarine a full I will not endeayour to put half century before the Denteshland duplicated the feat.

The fulfilling in steel and electricity of every one of these dreams gives Jules Verne rank ides of business. We are quite among the great prophets.

CANTON NEWS.

Our Correspondent, His Lordship replied that about writing on the 18th instant, a hundred million sounds

It has been decided to strack Ko-Another report states that spres

of them have retired to Fachow. The Tuchun has select Admiryou, al Lam Po Yik if he can see his way to despatch a few cruisers for Swatow to protect the harbour A "notice from Tung "In." lermer detective in Hongkong, states that he has been emptinted by the Military Gorgespant gogs, mander of a 2nd bettalion for reinforcing Husem, and is now recruiting beaves to form battalion.

Organ Recital:

An organ recital is to be given he Mr. E. J. Cheoman on Mondan the 220d/ inst. ist & p.m. the Union Church. Mrs. A the Organ Road

Music at the Relace Hotel band of the Pacific Mad Company will pley at the Betase Hotel this and R. gehire are Lee & Parkuns, evening, from 7 cp. no. 11.80 Bahoolberd's Bees of Barton onp.m. The band will also be in Trent, Nixey's, Berry's, not to attendance to morrow and Sunday evenings.

Nationalsked Vieltors: Passing through the Colony at the present san Mr. Pedto Gil, editor of La Nacion, the ergen of the left Philippine Democrat Party, and

weather is very wet and cold, the Mg. Ling, the man who was Candahar. Ten years laws socks which the mon my were the charged with the moreter of pington took part is the charged best they have ever had, were a Inspector O'Bullivan and dier. of Barrensh and Jan mans after best they have ever had, were a large of Clarke in the Greener that he was aiding in the congdens I have appealed to you twice Bireet, affair, and also with the bit the Sades and man in the before for 1,000 pairs of socks, murder of a Chinese of Tanasati battle of Ondurmen and subject been so prompt and so generous, charged with complicity in this Kilchenerois the Bara Wahanala month by of wool, the lege of seeing Mr. Leo. Longinotto, semistant of the British legelions at 1 w Olto 10 lookes long. to to the withdrawl of the retire i from the swar to bec ALICH D. HICKETING. Charge which His Worship military online it the House Search Proper of the Beauty of the Beauty of the County of the Cou

JULES VERNE'S DREAMS TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

The perchase of the Island Just how many of the retonish- Golobel Bonder Williams in ing prophecies of Jules Verse in breath-passbing surprise, may the received and will we are sure be half conjuny that hendaned since property a toliging his Lord with much interest by Hong-the work was given to the work, whip was greatly manufactured by tong manufacture. The work was given to the work, whip was greatly manufactured by was revenue was revenue. It was the work where the work was revenue. The work was revenue to the work which was a standard to the work was revenue. The work was revenue to the work was revenue. The factor of the work was revenue. The work was revenue to the work was revenue. The work was revenue to the second was revenue. The work was revenue to the work was revenue to the work was revenue to the work was revenue. The work was revenue to the work was revenue to the work was revenue to the work was revenue. The work was revenue to the work was revenue to the work was revenue. The work was revenue to the work was revenue to the work was revenue. The work was revenue to the work was revenue to the work was revenue. The work was revenue to the work was revenue to the work was revenue. The work was revenue to the work was revenue to the work was revenue to the work was revenue. The work was revenue to th Dest Mrs. Hickling, Hes Me josty and it will be found that his little series. But her fold.
The Queen has reast with mach "Nantiles ". was Tailt. in the little state that a Leafe of Post. I beg to thenk you on my own before the first inconducent bulb pipessepare to secution . Lord Sanlight":

Parent Line House hour squitt set in 180 180 180 The hour has come when you and semine part.

WHEN THE COM But "leaving" you behind me

brooks my books The island of Lands as sitting principality; the largest private estate in the United Kanadon. It is 28 miles broad and 50 miles in the days when electricity was 30,000. The land is of poor quality; the islanders depend for their living upon the sea fishing: and these are only three licensed houses, all of them in the "capital" of the island-Storne-

> Lord Leverbalms selv ds "mos to associate the parchase with any ready to scoops his statement. Even a Port Sanlight Lever could scarcely make a "besiness proposition" out of the intend Would he not turn his mitention to the development of the peat which is all too abandant is the deand? was saked by su intermewer.

had been lost in attempting to etilise pest and to petit shortly chow from eight points as Lung's he was "not taking any peat troops are concentrating there. But he added that he pould sealed But he added that he could sales a great interest in the tile of the isle, and if there were any economic problems he would be alad to work with the people toward their solution." Lord Laterbalme are be enumed that the first problem to make this he economic and that it is a wary wide one. He may spill pleaty of money in the Lews. he will not take much out of it.

Bir James Matheson bought the island drom the Mastacines of Seaforth for \$190,000; he spent more then 4830,000 upon development end reclamation and Colored Duncen! Matheuren who has just soid it to Lord at Leverhume affered ittaller bleve pollection will be taken in aid of George in 1913 as a serily to the latter a domand for land james form. Ose more sommercial same is added to the list of Miskland We are selected to state that the landlords and departs where free represented in Lorenseshire mention that fine old Highland Chieftein. Baron von Schroeder. who owns a whole Restrict

"Coming at a time when the The Yaumati Murder Case," historic march from Case

#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

#### PRINCE LICHNOWSKY'S FAMOUS MEMOIR.

-Translated Into English.

London, April 16translation of Prince Lichnowsky's famous memorandum has been published and Lord Robert Cecil stated in the House of Commons to-day that it would be widely circulated.

Professor Gilbert Murray, who writes the preface to the translation, contributes in to-day's "Chronicle" an article on the Memoir. Inter alia Professor Murray says:- "The Memoir is not indiscreet or passionate; it tells the story with dovastating simplicity, a story of good-inith-thwarted by bad faith, wisdom by madness and the patience of the peacemaker by the fret and greed of those who placed their hopes in the war. The story is not so new in England as in Germany. It only confirms what we knew from the White Paper, and other diplomatic correspondence. Prince Lichnowsky gives his three main conclusions about German Policy, namely before 23rd July, 1914, Germany encouraged Count Berchfold to attack Serbia though fully aware of the danger of its action leading to a world war. Between 23rd July and 30th July, 1914, Germany rejected the British and all other proposals of mediation. On 30th July when Count Berchtold wanted to come to-terms with Russia, Germany prevented him by launching her ultimatum. All this is matter of common knowledge with us. On the other hand the secret Council at Potsdam on 5th July, 1914, at which the Emperor decided upon this war policy is evidently common knowledge in German diplomatic circles and Prince Lichnowsky only mentions it in passing. Everyone now Tknows that Sir Edward Grey did all that man could do to avert the war but some critics are still inclined to argue that his previous pro-French pro-Russian policy had been directed against Germany and brought war nearer. Prince Lichnowsky's evidence on this point is clear. 'Sir Edward Grey having settled all outstanding points of difference with France and Russia he wished to make similar agreements with us. It was not his object to isolate us but to make us partners in the existing association.' Prince Lichnowsky then gives Sir Edward Grey's own words describing his aim without interfering with our existing friendship with France and Russia which has no aggressive obligations upon England, to arrive at rapprochement and friendly understanding with Germany' Mr. Murray proceeds tothe three main questions in issue between and Germany before the war, namelyly the Bagdad railway, the Portuguese Colonies and the German Naval programme. Sir Edward Grey agreed not to object to the eventual acquisition of the Portuguese Colonies by Germany provided that Portugal's consent was obtained in a legitimate manner. His only stipulation was that cortain Anglo-German secret treaties must be published one whereof in 1893 divided the Portuguese Colonies into economic spheres of influence between England and Germany. Mr. Murray says there was nothing sinister in this treaty. It involved no claim to territory. We merely agreed not to push our trade in one part and Germany agreed not push hers in the other part but the German Government refused to agree to the publication of the treaties Lichnowsky considered this refusal insenate. To have pubthis treaty would have let the Gerpeople into the secret that England, whom they were taught to regard as an enemy, was really acting as a friend. Professor Murray proceeds: "The story is just the same as with the Bagdad railway and German shipbuilding, namely steady endeavour by Sir Edward Grey even at the cost of some risk to meet Germany's legitimate wishes and to help her to a place in the circle of 'cordial understanding' and steady determination in the heart of the German Government to be bound by no ties which might hamper its future unlimited craving for power. Professor Murray wonders why the German Government allowed Prince Lichnowsky's memoirs to be published in Germany! He suggests that the reason is the German Government is riding on two horses. "If the western offensive succeeds then the cry will be 'Gott strafe England,' the confessed contrivers of so splendid a war will be national heroes and none will listen to the small voice of Lichnowsky; if the offensive fails it will be just as well to have people prepared for some reasonable concessions. If this is true then-there is some power in the background behind the German militarists ready to profit by their successes if they win and equally ready to discard them if they lose. Ludendorff triumphant will be master of the world but Ludendorff beaten will not even be master of Germany.

#### OBITUARY. Sir John Willoughby.

London, April 17. The death is announced of Major Sir John Christopher

Willoughby, aged 59. Sir John Willoughby served in the Egyptian and Nile campaigns, was second in command of the forces of the Imperial British South Africa Co in Matabeleland in 1890-91, took part in the conquest of Matabeleland, accompanied Dr. Jameson into the Transvaal in 1896, served during the South African Wur, was in Ladysmith throughout the siege and was in charge of the transport of the Flying Column which relieved Mafeking.

#### EMPEROR KARL'S LETTER.

Laid Before the French Chamber.

Paris April 17. The dossier regarding Emperor Karl's letter cabled on the 12th inst. was laid on the table of the Chamber. It shows the letter was written in pencil. Prince Sixte gave M. Poincare a copy as he was asked to keep the matter secret. M. Ribot did not inform the new Government but disclosed the contents of the letter to Mr. Lloyd George and Baron Sonnino. The three ministers agreed that it offered no basis of discussion.

#### NORWAY'S SACRIFICES

Christiania, April 17. The Norwegian "Commercial Shipping Gazette" commenting on the report that Holland will receive ship for ship compensation, says that this is only justice but adds, the Dutch however laid up half a million tons of shipping until it was requisitioned whereas the Norwegians have sacrificed hundreds of ships and the lives of hundreds of being torpedoed. Norway has been treated much worse than Holland but we make no accusation against anyone.

#### A WEEK'S SUBMARINING.

London, April 17 The Admiralty announces that the arrivals for the week were 2,211 and the sailings 2,466. Eleven vessels over and four under 1,600 tons were sunk. Twelve were unsuccessfully attacked. One fishing vessel was sunk.

Madrid, April 17. The Spanish steamer Louiss, proceeding to the United States has been torpedoed Three of the crew were drowned.

Berne, April 17. The Government has demanded reparation from Germany in respect to the torpedoing of a Spanish steamer cerrying corn for Switzerland. Germany has replied that she is awaiting the return of the submarine responsible tacrefor.

#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

## THE FIGHTING ON THE WESTERN FRONT

Successful British Counter-Attacks. London, April 17.

Field Marshal Sir Donglas Haig reports: We successfully counter stracked last night in the neighbourhood of Wytachaeter Our counter attack also restored the situation at Miteron, which we retain. We repulsed with loss repeated affacks northward of Bailleul Our fire at close range caught bodies of the enemy infantry advancing in close formation, inflicting heavy casualties. The enemy endeavoured to develop an attack at noon yesterday of Robecq, but our artillery broke up the advance. In consequence of the enemy's progress on the Lys front, our troops in forward positions eastward of Ypres withdrew to a new line. The withdrawal was carried out deliberately and was undisturbed by the enemy. German parties advancing over our old positions were caught and destroyed by the fire of our outposts. We drove out parties who entered our trenches. opposite Boyelles, where our line has been completely restored There was considerably increased hostile artillerying this morning on the British front southward of the Somme

#### 'Terrific and Unintermitteat Gun Fire,"

London, April 17. Reuter's correspondent at British Headquarters, wiring to-day, says: In the course of three years' experience of this war I have never heard such terrific and unintermittent gun fire as has been going on since yesterday afternoon and is still proceeding. It is like the rose of a factory full of high-speed machinery parts of which are constantly crashing through the roof and the walls. The battle is raging with incredible intensity. But, notwithstanding the weigh and desperation of the attacks, the enemy has not gained further ground Perhaps the best news was last night when we. were advancing in the neighbourhood of Wyschaete. Early yesterday the enemy neavily and determinedly attacked the Dasmetrasse line where he was beaten off. Our artillery dispersed large bodies concentrating for another attempt. The Daamstrasse sector is midway between Hollebeke and St. Eloi. Among the many attacks yesterday one of the greatest was against the Zillebecke sector. Here the enemy's massed waves were shot down like mown hay. They were ordered to retire whereupon our gunners got them in the flanks with open sights. The slaughter was appalling. The famous leaning Virgin of Albert Cathedral was shot down by the Germans yesterday.

#### Successful French Coups de Ma p.

London, April 17. A French communique says: There has been fairly great reciprocal artillerying and patrol encounters on the front of the Somme and Oise. We effected several "coups de main," notably south-west of Butte du Mesnil, in the region of Tahure and north of Fluey. We took prisoners. An enemy attack east of Samogueux on the right of the Meuse failed.

#### Enemy's Terrible Losses.

London, April 17. A semi-official message says: The enemy has paid for his success between Bailleul and Neuve Eglise with frightful hecatombs of dead. Whole battalions were thrown in with unexampled disregard of human life. Undoubtedly the enemy will continue the battle with fresh reinforcements and fresh sacrifices. His objective is clear, namely to turn the range of heights rising 150 metres above the plain in a triangle formed by Cassel and Bailleul. This operation demands a little time and the French and British forces may

#### The Allied Line Unbroken.

The gravity of the position resulting from the latest German successes is admitted by the newspapers, but still there is no note of despondency. It is recognised that the British army is assigned the ardnous role of delaying the advance of a numerically superior enemy. It is holding most tensciously every foot of the ground but disaster is unimaginable for the Allied line is still unbroken. In this connection Sir Douglas Haig's appeal to the troops is recalled wherein he spoke of French forces hurrying to support and the confidence he felt that they would intervene at the proper time. This is a repetition of Verdun on a grander scale, with Bailleul, Neuve Eglise and Wytschaete each representing Thiaumont Farm. All are offered to the enemy at the price of his exhaustion.

Their objective last week was Bethune. They were held there and they tried Hazebrouck which is a more important. centre than Bailleur, but were stopped here also. They are now exerting strength northwards, but the previous two failures and also that at Amiens, justify the nope that the enemy may be stopped again. A disquieting feature is the evidence that the enemy is still bringing fresh divisions from Russia enabling them to increase their weight and

#### Enemy's Supply of Reserves.

London, April 17. The "Times" declares that the Germans can draw reserves from Bassia for months. Correspondents testify from their own experience to the magnificent spirit of the English and Scottish regiments who are fighting so stardily. Every man is convinced of ultimate victory. Some writers suggest that Admiral Beatty's sweep of the Cattegat is connected with the anticipation of an attempt by the German fleet to participate in the offensive. German Report.

A wireless German official message states: We have captured Poelcappelle and Langemark ;



As originally supplied to NAPOLEON The Great. The line quality of the wife will, at cace commend it to the most critical.

SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA:

#### COMMERCIAL NEWS.

Great Increase in Bank of Japan Loans.

There has been a remarkable increase in the dotalanding loans of the Crake branch of the Book of Japan. During the last few years, a period characterised by the essinees of the money market, the bank bas had only small loans ic Osaka except for advances to the Kitahama Bank. It is true that at the end of the month or year outstanding loans would increase, but these used to be reimbursed upon the turn of the month or year. The accommodation to the Kitshama Bank which was made when that institution was involved in serious embarrasamenta come years ago, was repaid toward the end of last year, and as a result loans outstanding at the Osaka branch of the Bank of Japan in the early part of January last amounted to only about Y1,000,000. The money market then assumed a tandency to become stringent, owing to the combined effects of Subscribed Capital ... France 45,000,700. the old calendar yearly settlements being immediately followed by the sale of British yen Treasury Bille, coupled with the adverse balance of trade and the appreh meions of bankers concerning the military situation. The money market has since continued strong with some temporary changes and accordingly SHANGHAI there has been a growing increase HONGKONG in the losus outstanding at the Bank of Japan. This tendency in became pronounced in March. At the end of February the loans amounted to Y20,650,000, which naturally decreased on the turn Correspondents in the chief commercial of the month, yet on March 2nd the balance of outstanding loans smounted to no less than Y17 460,000. The figure continued on the Y10,000,000 except on March 20th and Every description of Banking and 23rd. when it stood at about Y8,000 000, until on the 30th The losns amounted to no less than Y26,830,000, an amount which is the largest ever attained by the Osaka brarch of the Bink of Japan. As already stated, the increase is partly due to the stringency of the money market, but the main reason is the fact that Masada, Fojimoto, and other bill krokers, have lately been extensively taking advantage of the lowness of the Bank of Japan trate on loans, as compared with the market quotations, to obtain spinning bills and get them rediscounted at the back. To this practice exception is taken by some banks and those small bill

#### EXCHANGE.

SELLING.

brokers who have no accounts

with the Bank of Japan. - Japan

Ohronicle.

Demand ...... 3/13/2 30 d/s. ..... 3/15/8 60 d/s..... 4 m/s..... 3/13/2 T/T Shanghai...... Nom. T/T Singapore ..... 133 T/T Japan ..... 1425/4 T/T India ...... Nom. Demand, India ..... Nom. T/T Ban Francis-1 co & New York T/T Java..... 1593/4 T/T Marks..... Nom. T/T France..... 4.25 Demand. Paris ..... 4.25/2 BUYING. 4 m/s. L/C..... 3/256 4 m/s. D/P..... 3/334 30 d/s. Sydney & 3/3 Melbourne ..... 30 d/s. San Francal isco & New York 751/2

6 m/s. Francs ..... 4.45 Demand, Germany ... Demand, New York. 74% T/T-Bombay ..... Demand, Bombay ... Nom. T/T Calcutta Demand, Calcutta... Nom. Demand, Manila ... 14812 Demand, Singapore, 133 On Haiphong ....... 11/2% prem. On Bangkok ....... 4936

4 m/s, Marks ..... Nom.

4 m/s. Francs ..... 4.40

Sovereign ..... 6.35 Hom Gold Leaf, per oz.... 43.40 Bar Silver, per oz. 4714 SUBSTDIARY COINS

DISCOUNT PER \$100: H'kong 5 cts sub. \$1,00% dis.

D87. .....636% du

SANK OF CANTON. LIMITED.

TEAD OFFICE HONGKONG

TOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking Pransacted.

INTEREST ON FIXED DEPOSITS:

For 3 Months 3% per annum.

For 6 Months 1% per annum.

For 12 Months 41% per annum LOOK POON SHAN Ohief Manager.

BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE DE CHINE.

(13 of the Capita', i.e. France 15,000,000 subscribed by the Government of the Chinese Republic.)

Chairman of the Board of Directors André Berthelot. General Manager A. J. Pernotie.

HEAD OFFICE: 74. Rue Saint Lerare, PARIS. RRANCHES: PEKING

YUNNANFOU BANKERS FRANCE. Scciété. Général pour

favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France LONDON ... London County & Westminster Bank, Ltd. NEW YORK ... Redmond & Co.

centres of the world. Telegraphic Address : CHIBANKIND.

Interest on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Local Currency and in level Gold. Terms on application. Exchange business transacted. Special facilities for French exchange

M. ROUET DE JOURNEL HONGKONG BRANCH,

Queen's Building. 5. Chater Road. Tel- 2440. The state of the s

### NOTICES.

NOTICE. TRAMWAYCO LIMITED TIME TABLE BOO AM.

HI MIL 1147.K. to . . 1117.K. 16 Mrx. ·15 Max. LIST.X. HIGHT CARS. ESC 7.34 And 9 7.34 4.50

11.60 F.K. every half hour every quarter of an house

1.00 Theor to 1.00 7.11. 10 M.X. 16, M:x. 14 Mm. 1.22 P.M. 8.00 T.M. 前段日子 CAME as on Week Days. BATURDATE Bries Car at Midnight. EPECIAL CARS

By Arrangement at the Company's Office. Llegandra Buildings. Secon and popen lickets systiable for all in the Company's time tables, but not for special cars, can be obtained on application at the Occupany's Office :-No Sesson ticket will be lemed tail payment therefor has been made in Bank Retes or by Cheque or Corntradore suker representing Bank Notes.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & OC. C.

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE CO., LTD. (Capital Paid up ... \$1,259,000,

Lance on Morigage of House Property, &c., mode received on Morage, TRUSTER RESCUTOR OF WELL (Rates and Particulars on application) SHEWAN. TOMES & CO. General Managers.

MARTIN'S

LIONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-Paid-up Capital ......\$13.000.000

RESERVE FUNDS: £1,500,000 at 21.

-\$15,000,000 Silver ...\$19,500,000 \$74 500 000 Reserve Liability of

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyon) — Chaire and G. T. M. Edkins, Enq. — Deputy Chairman
F. C. Butchen, Sec. R. V. D. Parr, Esq.,
B. H. Dodwell, Esq., W. L. Pattender, Mag.,
C. Gubbey, Mas. Een, Mr. E. Sheilim,
Hon. Mr. D. Landale.

CRIEF MARAGER
Hooghoog-N. J. Stable, Esq. Shanghai—A. Q. Stephen, Ess. London Bankers—London County and Westminger Bank, : Limited. -On-Current Accounts at the rate of 2 per can

AGRES OR the daily balance For a months, 2 per cent, per assemble to 6 shouths, 34 per cent, per assemble of 12 seconds, 4 per cent, per assemble. N. J. STABB Chief Manager

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK THE Business of the above Bank in conducted by
the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANK DEC
CORPORATION.

Rules may be obtained on epolication!
ENTEREST on deposits it allowed be the minignus seouthly belences at \$15 per cent. The subsection of \$100 or more to the Honeyway and ShanghadBank to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at a cent. per surspin.

For the Hongkong and Shanghal Benking Corpora-^ N. J. STABB. Chief Manager.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1657. PAID-UP CAPITAL 1300.000 BESERVE FUND \$1,900,000 PROPRIETORS 21,910,000

FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking business transacted.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 year or snorter periods, at takes which will be quoted on application. T.C. DOWNING.

Hongkong, 11th April, 1912.

THE MERCANTILE BANK O) INDIA, LIMITED.

Head Office 15, Gracechurel Street, London. Subscribed ...... 1,125.00¢ Paid Up 562,501 

The Bark of England. The London Joint Stock Bank, Link of BRANCHE Celcetta Colombo Delbi Casis Lawren Penace Fangoer

HONGKONG BRANCH
Every description of Banking and Russe finiterest allowed on Current Accounts at spercest per annum on Daily Balances, and on Fined Deposits at rates which may be uncertained of application; C. CHAMPKIN.

INTERNATIONALI BANKING CORPORATION

Acting Manager

BEAD OFFICE : SSe Wall Star New York LONDON' OFFICES

CAPITAL & SURPLUS U.S. 56,500.00 UNDIVIDED PROFITS U.S. \$1348.00 U.S. 87,848.00 BRANCHER .\_

FANTO DOMINE PANAMA PEKING. PUERTO SHAWGHAT DE MACORIT YOROHAMA NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK Branches of that Institution in Cubs South America, and showners, passely BUENOS AIRES

GENOA, HAVANA MONTEVIDEO, MORCOW DE JANEIRO BENTIAGO DE PETROGRAD VALPARAISO All kinds of YOREIGN & LOCAL BANKING EUSINESS transacted. CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXES DEPOSITS received at rates to be acceptained as GEORGE HOGG.

Hongkong, 26th September, 1916

JOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK LIMITED. Established 1880,

Authorised Capital Yen 48,000.000 Paid-up Capital ... 3, 86,000,000 Reserve Fund...... 23,100,000

Sec Process Simograf Sydney

EISHI ONO, Manager. Honekong, 11th March 1918



## Cigarettes Embassy

There has been no alteration in size, weight, quality or manufacture of "Embassy" since 1914.

Every Virginia Leaf used in the manufacture of Embassy Cigarettes is selected and blended by specialists, skilled in the art of their profession.

Sold in Boxes of 10 & in airtight lins of 25 & 50 Cigarettes.

This advertisement is issued by British-American Tobacco Company Ltd.

#### LAMMERT. CEO. P.

AUCTIONEER, APPRAISER AND SURVEYOR.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public hold Property situate at Victoria Auction on

THURSDAY, the 25th April-1918.

commencing at 2.30 p.m. Tat his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street.

able Household Furniture

comprising:

room suite. easy chairs. teak desks and bookcases, card table. engravings, brass incense burners and figures, vases, carpets, rugs,

Teak extension dining table and chairs, teak sideboards. dinner wargon ice chest, dinver and dessert services, glassware, cutlery, electro-plated ware, etc.,

Fine double brass and brass mounted iron bedsteads, teak single and double wardrobes dressing tables, washstands, toilet crockery, etc., etc.

Also

A. Quantity of Blackwood ware comprising:-Curio cr binet la y's desk, tables, flower stands, Brouls, etc., etc.

I Indian Motor Cycle with Side Car (in first class condition)

Antoplano by Kastner & Co., Lid.

Table by Hennic Bros. On view from Wednesday ordinary business of the Comthe 24th-instant

Catalogue will be issued. Terms :- Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT Auctioneer.

Secre ary. Hongkong, 5th February, 1918.

#### PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the Mortgagees Mr. Geo. P. Lammert has received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

Tuesday the 30th day of April. 1918, at 3 p.m. at his Sales Room, Duddell Street, Victoria,

Hongkong. The following Valuable Lease-

Hongkong, viz:-ALL THOSE pieces or parcels of ground situate at Victoria aforesaid and known and registered in the Land Office as Section - G of -Marine Lot. No. 200 and Section D of the Southern Portion of The Praya Reclamation to Marine Lot No. 200 Together with the Large (Quantity of Valu-messuage erected thereon known as No. 116 Des Voeux Road West Victoria-aforesaid Proport ons of An-ual Crown Rent \$9.70 and \$4.90 respect vely. Area 6 5 Tapestry covered drawing Equite Feet and 260 Equare Feet

respectively. For further particulars and con-

ditions of sale Apply to JOHNSON, STOKES AND MASTER,

Prince's Buildings. Ice House Street, Hongkong. Solicitors for the Mortgagees,

GEO. P. LAMMERT. Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 15th April, 1918.

HONGKONG TRAMWAY -COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTI E18 HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinary General. Meeting of the Horgkong Trum wav Company, Limited will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Jardine, Mathean & Co. Limited, Pedder Street, Ho gkong, on WEDNESDAY, the Full Size English Billiard 4th day of April, 19 8, at 12 o'clock NOON, to transace the

> - By-Order-of-the-Board, W. E ROBERTS.

Information has been received from the Director General of Posts and To agrapha Tokio, that on and after April 1918, the Post Office of Japan will collect a demurrage charge from Japan, not withdrawn from the Post Office with 22 days from the date of the notice of their arrival to be cent to the addresses

POST OFFICE.

The amount of the charge per parcel is fix d at 5 sen per day after the expiration of the period stipulated.

The parcel post service to Sceennes province has been resumed for ordinary CLECO B'SOLL

The Services to Germany. Austria Balgaris and the O'toman Empire are

Registered and Parcel Mails close 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated."

suspended

The Parcel Post rervice to places in Sechwan Prevince is suspended until The London Post Office advises that

all parcels (Prospt those for Prisoners War) and all sample packets for Den, mark, Holland, Norway, Spain, Sweden-and Switzerland will be stopped by the Military Cansors unless posted under a War Office permit

The importation into the Common-wealth of Australia of tea, other than that grown or produced in British Posses-sions is prohibted, unless the consent in. writing of the Commonwealth Minister for Trade and Customs has been first The Parcel Post Services to British East

Africa and Egypt (except for members of the Expeditionary Forces), and to Abyminia, Bagdad, Erithree, French Bomali Coast, Italian Somaliland, Portuguese East Africa, Zanzibar and Russia have been suspended. Correspondence addressed to enoug Oshima subjects in China. Siam, Siberia and Naha

occo cannot be transmitted. The Services to Germany, Austria, Bul- Hankow garia and the Ottoman Empire Zare

Uninsured parcels for the United Kingdom will in future be forwarded from Hongkong in bags and the Public are therefore advised to pack such parcels

Letters franked at the 4 cents rate addressed to Yunanfu and Mangtse and other places in the Province of Yunnan Koshun should be superscribed with the words P'dores "For delivery by the Chinese Post Office."

Parcels for Greece cannot be accepted for transmission unless accompanied by a special permit issued by the British Minister at Athens.

Arrangements have been made for the ransmission of parcels to the United Kingdom via Canada.

The rates of postage are as follows: Parcel not over Sibs ... 90 cents. 7lbs . . \$1.80 11lbs . . . 2.70

No insurance can be effected on parcels sent by this route.

#### OUTWARD MAILS.

TO-MORROW.

NOTICES.

WAI KEE.

FLAG & SAILMAKER

No. 129, Des Vœux Road Central

"Top Floor,

HONGKONG.

Telephone No. 1833

ASAHI BEER.

ASAKI BEER

KHLB

Mitsui Bussan Kaisha

Philippine Is., Canada, United States, Central & South America Europe: via Victoria-20th April. Registration 8.45 s.m. Letters 9.30 a.m.

Sourabaya Samarang. Batavia and Port Moresby via Batavia-20th Scale April 3 p.m.

Shanghal and North China-10th Apri

SUNDAY. 21st April. Swatow, Amny and Formoss via Keslung

-21st April, 9 a.m. Straits, Coylon, Lourenco Marques, Cape Town and Europe-212t April,

Shanghai and N. China-21st April, 9 a.m. Japan via Nagasaki-21st April, 9 s.m.

MONDAY, 22nd April. Tientsin-22ad April, 5 p.m.

TUESDAY, 23rd April. Shanghal and North China-23rd April.

WEDNESDAY, 24th April. Shanghair N. China, Japan viz Enbe, Honnielu, Canada, Unit d States, Central and South America and Furope via San

THURSDAY, 25th April. Swatow, Amoy, Formoss via Takao and Anping-25th April, 7 a.m. Shanghai and North China -25th April.

FRIDAY, 26th April. Swatow, Amoy and Forchow-26th April,

Philippine Islands - 26th April, 2 p.m.

America & Europe via Ban Mos. Francisco-27th April, Ray stration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.80,

MONDAY, 29th April Shaughai, M. China, Japan via Nagasaki, Furope, Canada, via Victoria, United States Central and H. America via Beattle-29th April, R gi-tration 11.45 a.m.

#### WEATHER REPORT.

April 19d. 12h. 05m.-No returns from Japanese stations. Pressure has inreased very considerably over S. Manchuris, the depression having moved eastwards; alight increases are general elsewhere, except over Toogking, where

Hongkong Rainfall for the \$4 hours anding at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. since January 1st 3.48 against an average of 9.18 inches.

FOREGART FOR THE 34 HOURS ENDING AT HOOM TO-MORBOY District Farecasi.

E winds. moderate

S fouth coast of China be-} The same tween H.K. and Lamooks | as No. 1. & South coast of China be-) The same tween H.K. and Hainan..... as No. L.

China Coast Meteorological Begister.

·	<u>,</u> ▼i	pril 19	, s.I	<u> </u>	- No	٠.	ι,
Station.	Hour.	Barometer.	Temperature.	Humidity.	D'ilon.	Force.	Weather.
V'ostock	64	19.95	39	•.	- <del>-</del> "" -	,	0 1

Portuguese East Africa, Persia and Mor- Ishi'iima Whalwel

29,95 56 100 ass . 4 o 30.3 66 87 . 30.03 65 84 se 58 30,02 61 98 8 30.01 59 \_ 30.01 63 3 > 01 64 62 29,99 69 Canton 29.99 6) 95 e Wachow Pakhol

29.93 75 91 Aparri 29.83 .75 83 se 29.91 70 91 29.91 77 85 ne Legasol 29.88 77 84 nw 20 29.87 75 89 n Burigao Guam 6 29.88 77 95 sw . 4 t Labuan

C. W. JEFFRIER-Chief Assistant. Hongkong Observatory, Apr. 19, 1918

1 Barometer, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenhelt on the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths. 2 Temperature, in the shade, in degrees

3 Humidity, in percentage of saturation the Humidity of air saturated with moisture being 100. 4 Direction of Wind, to two points.

5 Force of Wind, according to Beaufort

State of Weather, b blue sky, o de-tached cloud, d drissling rain, f fog, g gloomy, h hall, l lightning, a overcast, I passing showers, q squally, r rain, s snow, t thunder, v visibility, w dew wet.

#### METEOROLOGICAL

Previous." Day On date On date. Barometer \_\_\_\_ 29.95 - 29.99 29.98 Temperature \_\_\_ -.74 69 Hamidity \_\_\_\_ 72 95 Wind Direction ... 2 Porce...... 4 1 Weather \_\_\_\_ 0.00 0.00 tration 945 a.m. Letters 1030 | Mighest upon of Temperature on the 15th re

TIDE TABLE.

H.K. Observatory, Apr. 19, 1918

T. F. CLAXTON, Director.

From 15th Apr. to 21st Apr.

Thur, 28 He infectes Bigh Wor Low W, Fri. 29 No tatarior High Mor Low W.

m morning, a efternoon.

## VICTORIA THEATRE.

Episode

Episode 12

DESPERATE CHANCE."

British Gazette. No. 440

Annals of the War No. 20.

"FINDING A HUSBAND."



# TOMBOLA

(IN AID OF WAR CHARITIES.)

SOCIETY OF ST. GEORGE; Hongkong.

## THE PRIZES WILL AVERAGE 6 FOR EVERY 100 SPILLS SOLD.

There are in all 2,000 Prizes Valued at Approximately \$20,000.

Purchasers of Spills containing numbers must keep such spills until St. George's Day when the Prizes will be drawn in public view.

SPILLS \$1.00 EACH ARE ON SALE AT ALL CLUBS, HOTELS, STORES, Etc.

PRIZES are on SHOW at 13, Queen's Road Central (next door to Astor House Hotel,)

Among the presents received for the TOMBOLA are the following: -

DIAMOND DRAGON FLY BROOCH. LARGE DIAMOND BAR BROOCH. TURQUOISE AND PEARL BRACELET THICK SOLID GOLD BANGLE. AMETHYST PENDANT. GOLD CHAIN BAG. GOLD FOUNTAIN PEN. GOLD LINKS. GOLD WATCHES.

QUANTITIES OF CUT GLASS. INNUM ABLE SILVER ARTICLES. TWO PIANOS. GRAMOPHONE. SEWING MACHINE. TYPEWRITER. CLOCKS. INCUBATORS, DOZENS OF PICTURES. CURIOS AND PANCY GOODS.

ALSO SEVERAL HUNDRED WAR BONDS, ETC.

NOTICES

WRISTLET WATCHES.

GEORGE'S DAY FUND.

"THE WITNESS

DEFENCE.

FOR THE

THURSDAY, 25th inst.

SATURDAY, 27th inst. AT 9.15 PM.

ORDINARY THEATRE PRICES. FRIDAY 19th inst. 9 AM.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform Haif Price to Pit and Gallery.

NOTICES. THIRD LIBERTY LOAN.

HE Subscription List for the THIRD LIBERTY LOAN of US. \$3,000,000,000 carrying interest at 4 1/4 per cent. per annum closes in America on 4th

May. 1918 THE INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION is prepared to receive applications up to 25th April, on the following terms:-

5% on application. 20% on 2 st May. 35% on 1!th July. 40% on 8th August. and will also grant loans against

LUCKY NUMBERS.

A, E have so much confidence in our LUCKY NUM-BERS that we GUARANTEE A PRIZE in every 6 "SPILLS" y u buy at our Store. If no prize is f and in 6" SHILLS" pur-Broking at MOUTRIE'S from chased at our Store, we will give you a prize it m our stock worth AT LEAST \$1.00

KOMOR & KOMOR. Alexandra Building.

Printed and Published for the Proprietor, by George William Cade Burnett at 11 Ice House Street, in the City of Virturia Hong Kong.